



**D A L L A S**  
**POLICE & FIRE**  
**PENSION SYSTEM**



**MINUTES SUMMARY**  
**Board Meeting**  
**Thursday, December 12, 2019**

The Regular and Supplemental meetings of the Dallas Police and Fire Pension System Board of Trustees were held at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, December 12, 2019, in the Second Floor Board Room at 4100 Harry Hines Blvd., Dallas, Texas.

**REGULAR POLICE AND FIRE PENSION BOARD MEETING**

The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m. and recessed at 11:43 a.m.

The meeting was reconvened at 11:44 a.m.

**A. TRUSTEES**

The Board welcomed the new and reappointed Trustees.

**B. MOMENT OF SILENCE**

The Board observed a moment of silence in memory of members and pensioners who recently passed away.

**C. CONSENT AGENDA**

Approved by the Board, subject to the final review of the staff.

**D. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION**

1. Appointed Susan Byrne and Ray Nixon as members of the Investment Advisory Committee.
2. The Chairman briefed the Board on the 2020 Board Calendar.
3. The Board granted the Executive Director and General Counsel the authority to take any legal action deemed necessary to collect contributions from the City of Dallas owed to DFPF pursuant to USERRA.

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4. The Board granted the Executive Director, subject to approval by the Chairman, the authority to restructure DPFP's interest in funds managed by Lone Star Investment Advisors.
5. Investment Staff briefed the Board on recent events and current developments with respect to the investment portfolio.
6. Meketa and Investment Staff reviewed investment performance.
7. Staff provided an overview of DPFP public fixed income investments.
8. Approved staff's recommendation for the purpose of calculating the Special Survivor Death Benefit, "average monthly computation pay" should be calculated by weighting the two average computation pay values by the percentage of total service time earned both pre and post 9-1-2017 and all previous benefit calculations affected by this interpretation be adjusted on a prospective basis.
9. Approved the 2020 budget.
10. Adopted the Funding Policy for the Combined Pension Plan.
11. The Professional Services Committee reported to the Board on its meeting with Jackson Walker, LLP.
12. Investment Staff briefed the Board on recent events and current developments with respect to the investment portfolio.
13. No discussion was held, and no motion was made regarding Trustee education and travel.
14. Staff provided additional information regarding pension obligation bonds.
15. The Board approved an increase in the Executive Director's salary to \$335,000 annually.

**D. BRIEFING ITEMS**

1. The Board received comments during the open forum.
2. The Executive Director's report was presented.

The regular Board meeting was adjourned at 12:05 p.m.

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**SUPPLEMENTAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION BOARD MEETING**

The meeting was called to order and recessed at 8:30 a.m.

The meeting was reconvened at 11:43 a.m.

**A. CONSENT AGENDA**

Approved by the Board, subject to the final review of the staff.

**B. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION**

1. Approved the 2020 budget.
2. Adopted the Funding Policy for the Combined Pension Plan.

The Supplemental Board meeting was adjourned at 11:44 a.m.

**Dallas Police and Fire Pension System**  
**Thursday, December 12, 2019**  
**8:30 a.m.**  
**4100 Harry Hines Blvd., Suite 100**  
**Second Floor Board Room**  
**Dallas, TX**

Regular meeting, William F. Quinn, Chairman, presiding:

**ROLL CALL**

**Board Members**

Present at 8:30 a.m.: William F. Quinn, Nicholas A. Merrick (by phone), Joseph P. Schutz, Susan M. Byrne, Robert B. French, Steve Idoux, Gilbert A. Garcia, Mark Malveaux, Armando Garza, Allen R. Vaught, Tina Hernandez Patterson

Absent: None

**Staff**

Kelly Gottschalk, Josh Mond, Kent Custer, Brenda Barnes, John Holt, Damion Hervey, Cynthia Thomas, Ryan Wagner, Greg Irlbeck, Michael Yan, Milissa Romero

**Others**

Janis Elliston, David Elliston, Darryl Wachsman, Sandy Alexander, Sheri Kowalski, Scott Freeman, Aaron Lally, Shawn Bowen

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The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m.

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**A. TRUSTEES**

**Welcome New and Reappointed Trustees**

The terms of Nicholas Merrick, Ray Nixon and Kneeland Youngblood ended on August 31, 2019. These three trustees have been serving as hold-over trustees waiting for Mayor Johnson to make his trustee appointments. Mayor Johnson made the following appointments:

Steve Idoux  
Mark Malveaux  
Allen R. Vaught

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**A. TRUSTEES (continued)**

The terms of the new trustees will end on August 31, 2021.

In addition, Robert Walters resigned from the Board and Mayor Johnson appointed Nicholas Merrick to complete the remaining term which ends August 31, 2020.

No motion was made.

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**B. MOMENT OF SILENCE**

The Board observed a moment of silence in memory of retired police officer Royce Massingill, and retired firefighters Ricky P. Alberts and Terry L. Speulda.

No motion was made.

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**C. CONSENT AGENDA**

**1. Approval of Minutes**

Regular meeting of November 19, 2019

**2. Approval of Refunds of Contributions for the Month of November 2019**

**3. Approval of Activity in the Deferred Retirement Option Plan (DROP) for December 2019**

**4. Approval of Estate Settlements**

**5. Approval of Survivor Benefits**

**6. Approval of Service Retirements**

**7. Approval of Alternate Payee Benefits**

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**C. CONSENT AGENDA (continued)**

**8. Approval of Payment of Military Leave Contributions**

After discussion, Mr. Garza made a motion to approve the minutes of the meeting of November 19, 2019. Mr. Garcia seconded the motion, which was approved by the following vote:

For: Mr. Quinn, Mr. Merrick, Mr. Schutz, Ms. Byrne, Mr. French, Mr. Garcia, Mr. Garza, and Ms. Hernandez Patterson

Abstain: Mr. Idoux, Mr. Malveaux, and Mr. Vaught

After discussion, Mr. Garcia made a motion to approve the remaining items on the Consent Agenda, subject to the final approval of the staff. Ms. Byrne seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

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**D. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION**

**1. Investment Advisory Committee Appointment**

The Board discussed possible candidates to serve on the Investment Advisory Committee.

After discussion, Mr. Garcia made a motion to appoint Ray Nixon and Susan M. Byrne as members of the Investment Advisory Committee. Mr. Schutz seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

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**2. Chairman's Discussion Items**

2020 Board Calendar

The Chairman briefed the Board on the 2020 Board Calendar.

No motion was made.

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3. **Legal issues - In accordance with Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code, the Board will meet in executive session to seek and receive the advice of its attorneys about pending or contemplated litigation, including claims against City of Dallas regarding unpaid contributions under USERRA, claims involving overpayment of benefits, consideration of legal options regarding DFPF's interests in funds managed by Lone Star Investment Advisors or any other legal matter in which the duty of the attorneys to DFPF and the Board under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct clearly conflicts with Texas Open Meeting laws.**

The Board went into closed executive session – Legal at 9:19 a.m.

The meeting was reopened at 10:22 a.m.

No motion was made.

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Mr. Merrick left the meeting at 10:25 a.m.

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The Board went into closed executive session – Legal at 11:34 a.m.

The meeting was reopened at 11:43 a.m.

Mr. Malveaux recused himself during the discussion of USERRA.

After discussion, Ms. Hernandez Patterson made a motion to grant the Executive Director and General Counsel the authority to take any legal action deemed necessary to collect contributions from the City of Dallas owed to DFPF pursuant to USERRA. Mr. Vaught seconded the motion, which was approved by the following vote:

For: Mr. Quinn, Mr. Merrick, Mr. Schutz, Ms. Byrne, Mr. French, Mr. Idoux, Mr. Garcia, Mr. Garza, Mr. Vaught, and Ms. Hernandez Patterson  
Abstain: Mr. Malveaux

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**4. Lone Star Investment Advisors Update**

The Board went into closed executive session – Legal at 9:19 a.m.

The meeting was reopened at 10:22 a.m.

After discussion, Mr. Garcia made a motion to grant the Executive Director, subject to approval by the Chairman, the authority to restructure DPFPP's interest in funds managed by Lone Star Investment Advisors. Ms. Hernandez Patterson seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

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**5. Portfolio Update**

Investment staff briefed the Board on recent events and current developments with respect to the investment portfolio.

No motion was made.

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**6. Third Quarter 2019 Investment Performance Analysis and Second Quarter 2019 Private Markets & Real Assets Review**

Aaron Lally and Shawn Bowen with Meketa Investment Group and Investment staff reviewed investment performance.

No motion was made.

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**7. Fixed Income Portfolio Review**

Staff provided an overview of DPFPP public fixed income investments.

No motion was made.

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**8. Interpretation of Qualified Surviving Spouse Special Death Benefit**

Section 6.09 of Article 6243a-1 provides for a special death benefit in certain situations. Part of the calculation in Section 6.09 requires an interpretation of the term “average monthly computation pay.” This term is not defined in the plan. As such, the Board has the authority to define this term pursuant to Section 3.01(j-3) which provides that “The board may correct any defect, supply any omission, and reconcile any inconsistency that may appear in this article...”

After discussion, Mr. Garcia made a motion, that for the purpose of calculating the Special Survivor Death Benefit the “average monthly computation pay” should be calculated by weighting the two average computation pay values by the percentage of total service time earned both pre and post 9-1-2017 and all previous benefit calculations affected by this interpretation be adjusted on a prospective basis. Ms. Byrne seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

Mr. Merrick was not present when the vote was taken.

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**9. 2020 Proposed Budget**

The Chief Financial Officer presented the proposed budget to the board for approval. The initial reading of the budget was October 10, 2019 and the second reading of the budget was November 19, 2019. There were no changes to the budget from the second reading. The budget was sent to the City of Dallas for comments and posted to the website for member review. No comments were received from the city or members.

After discussion, Mr. Garcia made a motion to approve the 2020 Budget. Ms. Hernandez Patterson seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

Mr. Merrick was not present when the vote was taken.

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**10. Funding Policy – Combined Pension Plan**

Senate Bill 2224 was adopted by the Texas Legislature in 2019 and requires that the Board adopt a funding policy that details the Board’s plan for achieving a funded ratio for DFP that is equal to or greater than 100 percent. By law, the Funding Policy must be adopted prior to January 1, 2020.

After discussion, Ms. Hernandez Patterson made a motion to adopt the Funding Policy for the Combined Pension Plan. Ms. Byrne seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

Mr. Merrick was not present when the vote was taken.

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**11. Report on Professional Services Committee**

The Chairman reported that the Professional Services Committee had a phone meeting with Mr. Campbell of Jackson Walker LLP, DFP’s outside legal counsel. The Chairman reported that no issues of concern were raised by Mr. Campbell.

No motion was made.

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**12. Monthly Contribution Report**

Staff presented the Monthly Contribution Report.

No motion was made.

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**13. Board approval of Trustee education and travel**

- a.** Future Education and Business-related Travel
- b.** Future Investment-related Travel

No discussion was held, and no motion was made regarding Trustee education and travel. There was no future investment-related travel.

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**14. Pension Obligation Bonds**

Mr. French posed to Elizabeth Reich, the City of Dallas CFO, certain questions via email regarding the City of Dallas funding contributions in connection with possible pension obligation bonds. The Board discussed these emails and pension obligation bonds generally.

A full discussion and updated POB presentation is planned for first quarter in 2020.

No motion was made.

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**15. Performance Review of Executive Director**

The Board went into closed executive session – Personnel at 11:44 a.m.

The meeting was reopened at 12:00 p.m.

After discussion, Mr. Quinn made a motion to increase the Executive Director’s salary to \$335,000 annually. Mr. Garza seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

Mr. Merrick was not present when the vote was taken.

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**D. BRIEFING ITEMS**

**1. Public Comments**

No one requested to address the Board with concerns.

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**2. Executive Director’s report**

- a. Associations’ newsletters
  - NCPERS PERSist (Fall 2019)
- b. Open Records
- c. Seeking Trustee Input for Executive Performance Reviews

The Executive Director’s report was presented.

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Ms. Gottschalk stated that there was no further business to come before the Board. On a motion by Mr. Garcia and a second by Ms. Hernandez Patterson, the meeting was adjourned at 12:05 p.m.

/s/ William F. Quinn

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William F. Quinn  
Chairman

**ATTEST:**

/s/ Kelly Gottschalk

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Kelly Gottschalk  
Secretary

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## AGENDA



**Date:** December 5, 2019

The regular meeting of the Dallas Police and Fire Pension System Board of Trustees will be held at **8:30 a.m. on Thursday, December 12, 2019, in the Second Floor Board Room at 4100 Harry Hines Boulevard, Dallas, Texas.** Items of the following agenda will be presented to the Board:

### **A. TRUSTEES**

**Welcome New and Reappointed Trustees**

### **B. MOMENT OF SILENCE**

### **C. CONSENT AGENDA**

#### **1. Approval of Minutes**

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**D. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION**

- 1. Investment Advisory Committee Appointment**
- 2. Chairman's Discussion Items**

2020 Board Calendar

- 3. Legal issues - In accordance with Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code, the Board will meet in executive session to seek and receive the advice of its attorneys about pending or contemplated litigation, including claims against City of Dallas regarding unpaid contributions under USERRA, claims involving overpayment of benefits, consideration of legal options regarding DFPF's interests in funds managed by Lone Star Investment Advisors or any other legal matter in which the duty of the attorneys to DFPF and the Board under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct clearly conflicts with Texas Open Meeting laws.**
- 4. Lone Star Investment Advisors Update**

Portions of the discussion under this topic may be closed to the public under the terms of Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code.
- 5. Portfolio Update**
- 6. Third Quarter 2019 Investment Performance Analysis and Second Quarter 2019 Private Markets & Real Assets Review**
- 7. Fixed Income Portfolio Review**
- 8. Interpretation of Qualified Surviving Spouse Special Death Benefit**
- 9. 2020 Proposed Budget**



- 10. Funding Policy – Combined Pension Plan**
- 11. Report on Professional Services Committee**
- 12. Monthly Contribution Report**
- 13. Board approval of Trustee education and travel**
  - a. Future Education and Business-related Travel
  - b. Future Investment-related Travel
- 14. Pension Obligation Bonds**
- 15. Performance Review of Executive Director**

Portions of the discussion under this topic may be closed to the public under the terms of Section 551.074 of the Texas Government Code.

## **E. BRIEFING ITEMS**

- 1. Public Comment**

## **2. Executive Director's report**

- a. Associations' newsletters**
  - NCPERS PERSist (Fall 2019)
- b. Open Records**
- c. Seeking Trustee Input for Executive Performance Reviews**

The term "possible action" in the wording of any Agenda item contained herein serves as notice that the Board may, as permitted by the Texas Government Code, Section 551, in its discretion, dispose of any item by any action in the following non-exclusive list: approval, disapproval, deferral, table, take no action, and receive and file. At the discretion of the Board, items on this agenda may be considered at times other than in the order indicated in this agenda.

At any point during the consideration of the above items, the Board may go into Closed Executive Session as per Texas Government Code, Section 551.071 for consultation with attorneys, Section 551.072 for real estate matters, Section 551.074 for personnel matters, and Section 551.078 for review of medical records.



## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #A1

**Topic:** Welcome New and Reappointed Trustees

**Discussion:** The terms of Nicholas Merrick, Ray Nixon and Kneeland Youngblood ended on August 31, 2019. These three trustees have been serving as hold-over trustees waiting for Mayor Johnson to make his trustee appointments. Mayor Johnson made the following appointments:

Steve Idoux  
Mark Malveaux  
Allen R. Vaught

The terms of the new trustees will end on August 31, 2021.

In addition, Robert Walters resigned from the Board and Mayor Johnson appointed Nicholas Merrick to complete the remaining term which ends August 31, 2020.

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## Memorandum



CITY OF DALLAS

DATE November 26, 2019

TO Kelly Gottschalk, DPFPS Executive Director

SUBJECT Mayoral Appointments to the DPFPS Board of Trustees

Pursuant to H.B. 3158, following consultation with the Dallas City Council, I hereby appoint the following individuals to the Dallas Police & Fire Pension System Board of Trustees for two-year terms ending August 31, 2021:

- Steve Idoux
- Mark Malveaux
- Allen Vaught

In addition, I hereby appoint Nicholas Merrick to the Dallas Police & Fire Pension System Board of Trustees to serve out Robert Walters' unexpired term, which ends August 31, 2020.

Additional information on the new appointees is attached.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'E. Johnson'.

Eric Johnson  
Mayor

**ROBERT C. WALTERS**

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November 22, 2019

Mayor Eric L. Johnson  
City of Dallas

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

Dear Mayor Johnson:

Please accept this letter as the notice of my resignation from the Dallas Police and Fire Pension System's board. It has been my distinct honor and privilege to serve as a trustee for the past two years.


As I know you appreciate, the health and of the pension system is crucial to public safety and the vitality of our City. During these important years, our board and system staff worked diligently and together to guide the system through the overhaul mandated by HB 3158, a vital piece of legislation intended to normalize and place the system on a path to solvency. I endeavored to contribute my knowledge and efforts during this complex transition process. We made good progress, and while the fund is far from where it needs to be, we stabilized a pension system that threatened the City's finances, led to credit downgrades, and spurred an exodus of veteran police officers and firefighters. Because my expertise is less important for the board's purposes going forward, I believe it is in the City's and pension system's best interest that I step aside at this juncture. Of course, you may be assured that I will continue to work in any way I can to advance the system's and the City's interests.

Finally, I want to thank you for your leadership and for your service to Dallas. We are deeply in your debt for your ongoing efforts on behalf of the City and its citizens. I very much look forward to working with you in the years ahead to better our City.

Mayor Eric Johnson  
November 22, 2019  
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Best personal regards.

Very truly yours,



Robert C. Walters

c: Mr. William Quinn, Chair  
Ms. Kelly Gottschalk, Executive Director

# Steve Idoux



Steve joined Lockton Dunning Benefits in March 2007 as partner and vice president. Prior to joining Lockton Dunning Benefits, Steve served in a sales and account management role at CIGNA. He is a recognized thought leader in employee benefits and possesses extensive experience aligning various types of health and welfare plans to corporate business objectives.

Over the course of his career, Steve has helped his clients save hundreds of millions of dollars in all areas of human resources including employee benefits, compensation, technology and operations.

## **Education**

The University of Oklahoma, B.B.A., Management Information Systems

## **Professional Affiliations**

DFW Business Group on Health, Member

International Society of Certified Employee Benefits Specialists. Member Southwest Benefits Association. Member

## **Professional Licensing**

Group I - General Lines - Life, Accident, Health and HMO

Texas Property and Casualty

## **Civic Involvement**

Dallas Friday Group, Board Member

Friends of the Dallas Police. Vice President

March of Dimes. Board Member

2015 Chair - March for Babies

2015 - Ambassador Family

2012-2015 - Breakfast with a Champion

2018 Chair - Signature Chefs

Step Up!, Board Member

Teach for America

State Fair of Texas. Chairman's Task Force

## **Awards and Recognition**

Dallas Business Journal, 40 under 40

University of Oklahoma. 40 Most Influential Alumni

# Mark Malveaux



Mark Malveaux joined the law firm of McCall, Parkhurst and Horton L.L.P. in 1993 and became a partner January 2000. Mr. Malveaux was the first African American public finance partner at a majority firm in the State of Texas. Mr. Malveaux received his Juris Doctor from the University of Virginia School of Law in 1992, where he was a quarterfinalist in the law school's Minor-Lile Moot Court competition and was awarded the Bracewell & Patterson Oral Advocacy Award.

Mr. Malveaux received his B.S. in Economics, magna cum laude, from Southern University in 1989. As an undergraduate, he was the first student at the school to be selected as a Harry S. Truman Scholar in 1987. Mr. Malveaux also studied public policy as a Sloan Fellow at Princeton University's Woodrow Wilson School of Public and International Affairs. Mr. Malveaux's practice includes work as bond counsel, underwriter's

counsel and disclosure counsel.

Mr. Malveaux has extensive experience in public finance and fixed income. Mr. Malveaux has served as bond counsel to DFW Airport for nearly 20 years and has served as its counsel in over \$10 billion dollars of debt obligations. Mr. Malveaux also has served on transactions for other large Texas issuers. Mr. Malveaux's expertise extends to serving as securities/disclosure counsel to governmental entities. Moreover, Mr Malveaux has served on the board of the transportation solution startup company, Savoya, where he was an angel investor.

Mr. Malveaux's professional affiliations include membership in the Texas State Bar, the American Bar Association, the Dallas Bar Association and the National Association of Bond Lawyers (NABL). He is also a fellow at the American College of Bond Counsel. Mr. Malveaux also served as a member of the board of directors of Texas C-Bar, a non-profit organization that provides pro bono transactional legal services. Mr. Malveaux has also been a financial supporter of the groundbreaking Dallas area boarding school experience AT LAST!, which will provide boarding school opportunities to Dallas Independent School District students.



# Allen Vaught



Allen Vaught has been a licensed attorney for over 21 years. His practice primarily focuses on employment law and includes wage payment requirements (FLSA), medical leave (FMLA), and military service leave (USERRA). Vaught has tried many cases in state and federal court and has the distinction of having won every FLSA case taken to trial.

Vaught served in the Texas House of Representatives from 2007 to 2011 where he was appointed as Vice Chair of the Committee on Defense and Veterans Affairs, Vice Chair of the Criminal Jurisprudence Committee, Chair of the Subcommittee on Violent Crimes, and Chair of the Subcommittee on Border, Health, and School Centered Emergencies. Vaught was also a member of the Family Law committee. He introduced and helped pass the Veteran's Court Bill making Texas the second state in the United States to address mental health needs of our Veterans in the state judicial system. He received top legislator awards from many

non-partisan groups, including the Texas Police Chiefs Association, Texas PTA, Children's Hospital Association of Texas, and Texas District and County Attorneys Association.

Vaught served as a U.S. Army captain in Iraq from April 2003 until March 2004 and led the first Civil Affairs/PSYOPS team to enter Fallujah. After eventually being transferred to Sadr City, Vaught was injured by an IED. He was honorably discharged from the Army as a result of his injuries. Vaught's awards include the Purple Heart, Combat Action Badge, and Order of the Spur. His unit also received the Valorous Unit Award for their Fallujah operations.

## EDUCATION

Baylor University (B.B.A. – Accounting, 1995).

- Member, Baylor football team.
- Vice President, Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

South Texas College of Law (J.D., 1997).

- Mock trial championship team 1997.
- Phi Delta Phi.

## LAW PRACTICE

Vaught Firm, LLC, 1910 Pacific Avenue, Suite 9150, Dallas, Texas 75201. Litigation practice primarily focused on federal and state employment law. Significant trial and appellate experience and many published federal cases.

## **LAW PRACTICE (cont.)**

### **Licensed Attorney:**

Texas, 1998, Mississippi, 2005.

Admitted to practice before the:

- United States Courts of Appeal for the Fifth Circuit, Ninth Circuit, and Armed Forces;
- United States District Courts for the following Districts: Eastern and Western Districts of Arkansas; District of Colorado; Southern District of Indiana; Southern District of Mississippi; District of New Mexico; Northern District of Ohio; Western District of Oklahoma; Northern, Eastern, Southern, and Western Districts of Texas; and the Eastern and Western Districts of Wisconsin; and
- United States Court of Federal Claims.

### **Legal Awards/Distinctions:**

Named 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, & 2019 "Super Lawyer" by Thomson Reuters Super Lawyers publication (Employment and Labor Law emphasis – limited to top 5% of Texas lawyers).

Texas Lawyer "Litigator of the Week" Award (Sep. 10, 2012) (relative to jury verdict for unpaid overtime wages for employees misclassified as independent contractors).

Member of National Employment Lawyers Association ("NELA").

## **ELECTED OFFICE**

**Texas House of Representatives**, Texas House District 107 - Dallas, 2007 to 2011.

### **Texas House Committee Leadership Positions:**

- Vice Chairperson, Committee on Defense and Veterans Affairs, 2009 to 2011.
- Chairperson, Interim Subcommittee on Border Security, Health, and School Centered Emergencies, 2010 to 2011.
- Chairperson, Subcommittee on Violent Crimes, 2009.
- Vice Chairperson, Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence, 2007 to 2009.

### **Top Legislator/Legislator of the Year Awards:**

- Golden Bootie Award, Children's Hospital Association of Texas (2010).
- Law and Order Award, Texas District and County Attorneys Association (2009).
- Legislative Award, Texas Police Chiefs Association (2009).
- Children's Advocacy Award, Texas Pediatric Society (2009).
- Legislative Advocate of the Year, Texas PTA (2009).
- Legislative Initiatives Nurturing Children Award, Children's Medical Center of Dallas (2009).
- Legislator of the Year, Association of Texas Professional Educators, Region 10 (2009).
- Friends of Veterans Award, Texas Criminal Justice Coalition (2009).



**ITEM #B**

**MOMENT OF SILENCE**

**In memory of our Members and Pensioners who recently passed away**

| <b>NAME</b>      | <b>ACTIVE/<br/>RETIRED</b> | <b>DEPARTMENT</b> | <b>DATE OF DEATH</b> |
|------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Ricky P. Alberts | Retired                    | Fire              | Nov. 12, 2019        |
| Royce Massingill | Retired                    | Police            | Nov. 17, 2019        |
| Terry L. Speulda | Retired                    | Fire              | Nov. 17, 2019        |

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Tuesday, November 19, 2019  
8:30 a.m.  
4100 Harry Hines Blvd., Suite 100  
Second Floor Board Room  
Dallas, TX**

Regular meeting, William F. Quinn, Chairman, presiding:

**ROLL CALL**

**Board Members**

Present at William F. Quinn, Nicholas A. Merrick, Joseph P. Schutz, Robert B. French, Ray Nixon, Susan M. Byrne, Tina Hernandez Patterson (by phone), Robert C. Walters, Armando Garza, Kneeland Youngblood (by phone)

Present at 9:58 Tina Hernandez Patterson

Absent: Gilbert A. Garcia

**Staff**

Kelly Gottschalk, Josh Mond, Kent Custer, Brenda Barnes, John Holt, Damion Hervey, Cynthia Thomas, Ryan Wagner, Greg Irlbeck, Michael Yan, Milissa Romero

**Others**

Jill Svoboda, Matt Liu, Scott Freeman, Robert Jones, Jerry Rhodes, Sandy Alexander, Janis Elliston, David Elliston, Sheri Kowalski

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The meeting was called to order at 8:30 a.m.

The meeting was recessed at 10:22 a.m. and reconvened at 10:23 a.m.

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**A. MOMENT OF SILENCE**

The Board observed a moment of silence in memory of retired police officers Thomas E. Williams, Johnnie L. Sullivan, Felix G. Woodrow, Fredrick H. Smith, Robert E. McKinney, and retired firefighters M. E. Jungjohann, W. E. Sheppard, Charles R. Pitman, John L. Ellison, Robert A. Davis, Luanne E. Kimball-East, H. K. Cops, Edward H. Ryer.

No motion was made.

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**B. CONSENT AGENDA**

**1. Approval of Minutes**

- a. Required Public meeting of October 10, 2019
- b. Regular meeting of October 10, 2019

After discussion, Ms. Byrne made a motion to approve the minutes of the required public meeting of October 2019. Mr. Walters seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

After discussion, Mr. Nixon made a motion to approve the minutes of the regular meeting of October 2019. Mr. Walters seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

After discussion, Mr. Merrick made a motion to approve the remaining items on the Consent Agenda, subject to the final approval of the staff. Ms. Byrne seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

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**C. DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION REGARDING ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION**

**1. Lone Star Investment Advisors Fund Extensions and Update**

The Lone Star Growth Capital fund original term expired in October 2018 and has been extended twice. The Lone Star CRA fund original term expired in April 2019 and has been extended once. The current extensions for both funds expired on October 25, 2019. The General Partner proposed a six-month extension of each fund term with no management fee. Investment Staff updated the Board on recent performance, operational, and administrative developments with respect to DFPF investments in funds managed by Lone Star Investment Advisors.

The Board went into closed executive session – Legal at 8:33 a.m.

The meeting was reopened at 9:20 a.m.

After discussion, Mr. Merrick made a motion to authorize the Executive Director to enter into six-month extensions with no management fee on the Lone Star Growth Capital and Lone Star CRA funds. Ms. Byrne seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

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2. **Legal issues - In accordance with Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code, the Board will meet in executive session to seek and receive the advice of its attorneys about pending or contemplated litigation, including claims against City of Dallas regarding unpaid contributions under USERRA, consideration of legal options regarding DFPF's interests in funds managed by Lone Star Investment Advisors, claims related to overpayment of benefits or any other legal matter in which the duty of the attorneys to DFPF and the Board under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct clearly conflicts with Texas Open Meeting laws.**

The Board went into closed executive session – Legal at 8:33 a.m.

The meeting was reopened at 9:20 a.m.

No motion was made.

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3. **Chairman's Discussion Item**

Mayoral Trustee Appointments

The Chairman briefed the Board on the status of the Mayoral Trustee Appointments.

No motion was made.

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4. **Financial Audit**

- a. 2018 Audit Results
- b. Audit Committee
- c. 2019 Auditing Services Provider

- a. Representatives from BDO, DFPF's independent audit firm, were present to discuss the results of their audit for the year ended December 31, 2018.

After discussion, Ms. Byrne made a motion to approve issuance of the 2018 audit report, subject to final review and approval by BDO and the Executive Director. Mr. Walters seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

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**4. Financial Audit (continued)**

- b. The Audit Committee met with representatives of BDO on October 30, 2019. The Committee Chair commented on Committee observations and advice.
- c. In 2015, the Board gave direction to conduct a competitive selection process for specific service providers, including the audit firm, every five years unless the Board explicitly waives or extends the requirement. BDO has conducted the audit for six years. Staff discussed the pros and cons of conducting a competitive selection process for auditing services.

After discussion, Mr. Quinn made a motion to extend for one year the requirement to conduct a selection process for auditing services to allow BDO to conduct the 2019 audit. Ms. Hernandez Patterson seconded the motion, which was approved by the following vote:

For: Mr. Quinn, Mr. Merrick, Mr. Schutz, Mr. Nixon, Ms. Byrne, Ms. Hernandez Patterson, Mr. Walters, Mr. Garza, Mr. Youngblood  
Against: Mr. French

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**5. 2018 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report**

Staff presented a draft of the 2018 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

The report is scheduled to be completed following final approval by the Executive Director, as well as BDO. Upon completion, the report will be posted to the DFPF website and provided to the Pension Review Board and the City of Dallas.

After discussion, Mr. Nixon made a motion to authorize the Executive Director to issue the 2018 Comprehensive Annual Financial Report upon finalization. Ms. Hernandez Patterson seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

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**6. Funding Path Sensitivity**

In response to Mr. Merrick’s request of the Actuary, Segal, at the October 2019 Board meeting, staff presented detail about the impact of a 6.5% rate of return assumption on the projected funding path for the Combined Plan.

No motion was made.

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**7. Funding Policy**

Senate Bill 2224 was adopted by the Texas Legislature in 2019 and requires that the Board adopt a funding policy that details the Board’s plan for achieving a funded ratio for DPF that is equal to or greater than 100 percent.

The Funding Policy must be adopted prior to January 1, 2020. The Board provided feedback on the draft funding policy and staff will present the final policy for adoption at the December 2019 Board meeting.

No motion was made.

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Mr. Merrick and Mr. Nixon left the meeting at 10:39 a.m.

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**8. Quarterly Financial Reports**

The Chief Financial Officer presented the third quarter 2019 financial statements.

No motion was made.

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**9. Monthly Contribution Report**

Staff presented the Monthly Contribution Report.

No motion was made.

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**10. Required Training Manual Delivery**

Section 3.013(c) of Article 6243a-1 requires the Executive Director annually deliver a training manual covering certain subject areas set forth in Section 3.013(b).



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**10. Required Training Manual Delivery (continued)**

The Executive Director provided an overview of the contents, addressed new items in the manual and answered questions concerning the training manual.

No motion as made.

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**11. Second reading and discussion of the 2020 Budget**

The Chief Financial Officer reviewed changes to the proposed budget from the first reading.

After discussion, the Board directed staff to present the amended budget to the Board for consideration at the December 12, 2019 Board meeting. The Board also authorized forwarding the 2020 proposed budget to the City of Dallas for comment and the posting of the proposed budget to [www.dfp.org](http://www.dfp.org) for member review prior to the December meeting.

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**12. Portfolio Update**

Investment Staff briefed the Board on recent events and current developments with respect to the investment portfolio.

No motion was made.

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**13. Benefit Underpayment Notification**

Pursuant to the Correction of Errors in Benefits Payments Policy the Executive Director briefed the Board about an underpayment of a benefit in excess of \$10,000.

No motion was made.

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**14. Board approval of Trustee education and travel**

- a. Future Education and Business-related Travel
- b. Future Investment-related Travel

No discussion was held, and no motion was made regarding Trustee education and travel. There was no future investment-related travel.

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**15. Hardship Request**

The Board went into closed executive session – Medical at 9:21 a.m.

The meeting was reopened at 9:26 a.m.

After discussion, Mr. Nixon made a motion to deny the hardship request because the expense could be relieved through other financial means. Mr. Garza seconded the motion, which was unanimously approved by the Board.

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**D. BRIEFING ITEMS**

**1. Public Comment**

The Board received public comments during the open forum.

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**2. Executive Director’s report**

- a. Associations’ newsletters
  - (1) NCPERS Monitor (October 2019)
  - (2) NCPERS Monitor (November 2019)
- b. Open Records

The Executive Director’s report was presented.

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Ms. Gottschalk stated that there was no further business to come before the Board. On a motion by Mr. Schutz and a second by Ms. Byrne, the meeting was adjourned at 11:42 a.m.

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William F. Quinn  
Chairman

**ATTEST:**

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Kelly Gottschalk  
Secretary

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## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D1

**Topic:** Investment Advisory Committee Appointment

**Discussion:** The Board will discuss possible candidates to serve on the Investment Advisory Committee.

**Staff**

**Recommendation:** Appoint members of the Investment Advisory Committee.

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## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D2

**Topic:** Chairman's Discussion Items

2020 Board Calendar

**Discussion:** The Chairman will brief the Board on this item.

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## 2020 BOARD MEETING DATES

| <b>Date</b>    | <b>Starting Time</b> | <b>Type of Meeting</b>                 | <b>Posting/<br/>Publication Date</b> |
|----------------|----------------------|--|--------------------------------------|
| <b>Jan. 9</b>  | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Jan. 3                               |
| <b>Feb. 13</b> | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Feb. 7                               |
| <b>Mar. 12</b> | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Mar. 6                               |
| <b>Apr. 9</b>  | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Apr. 3                               |
| <b>May 14</b>  | 8:30 AM              | Regular and<br>Required Public Meeting | May 8                                |
| <b>Jun. 11</b> | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Jun. 5                               |
| <b>Jul. 9</b>  | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Jul. 3                               |
| <b>Aug. 13</b> | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Aug. 7                               |
| <b>Sep. 10</b> | 8:30 AM              | Regular and<br>Required Public Meeting | Sep. 4                               |
| <b>Oct. 8</b>  | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Oct. 2                               |
| <b>Nov. 12</b> | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Nov. 6                               |
| <b>Dec. 10</b> | 8:30 AM              | Regular                                | Dec. 4                               |

Board meetings normally are held on the second Thursday of the month in the Second Floor Board Room, 4100 Harry Hines Blvd., Dallas.



## **DISCUSSION SHEET**

### **ITEM #D3**

**Topic:**

**Legal issues - In accordance with Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code, the Board will meet in executive session to seek and receive the advice of its attorneys about pending or contemplated litigation, including claims against City of Dallas regarding unpaid contributions under USERRA, claims involving overpayment of benefits, consideration of legal options regarding DFPF's interests in funds managed by Lone Star Investment Advisors or any other legal matter in which the duty of the attorneys to DFPF and the Board under the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct clearly conflicts with Texas Open Meeting laws.**

**Discussion:**

Counsel will brief the Board on these issues.

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## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D4

**Topic:** Lone Star Investment Advisors Update

Portions of the discussion under this topic may be closed to the public under the terms of Section 551.071 of the Texas Government Code.

**Discussion:** Investment Staff will update the Board on recent performance, operational, and administrative developments with respect to DFPF investments in funds managed by Lone Star Investment Advisors.

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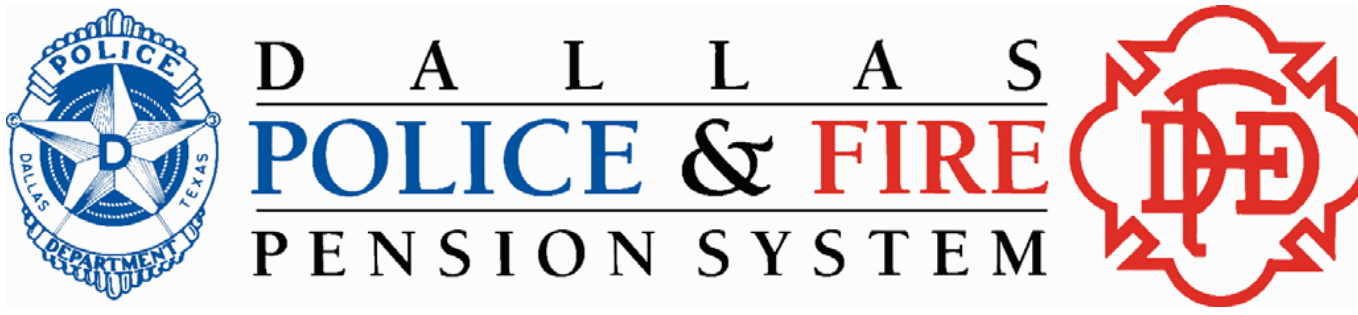
## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D5

**Topic:** Portfolio Update

**Discussion:** Investment Staff will brief the Board on recent events and current developments with respect to the investment portfolio.

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# Portfolio Update

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December 12, 2019

# Asset Allocation

| DPPF Asset Allocation        | % weight      |               |               | \$ millions  |              |             |
|------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
|                              | 11/30/19      | Target        | Variance      | 11/30/19     | Target       | Variance    |
| <b>Equity</b>                | <b>40.8%</b>  | <b>55.0%</b>  | <b>-14.2%</b> | <b>846</b>   | <b>1,142</b> | <b>-295</b> |
| Global Equity                | 24.1%         | 40.0%         | -15.9%        | 500          | 830          | -331        |
| Emerging Markets             | 2.4%          | 10.0%         | -7.6%         | 50           | 208          | -157        |
| Private Equity*              | 14.3%         | 5.0%          | 9.3%          | 296          | 104          | 193         |
| <b>Fixed Income</b>          | <b>31.8%</b>  | <b>35.0%</b>  | <b>-3.2%</b>  | <b>660</b>   | <b>726</b>   | <b>-66</b>  |
| Safety Reserve - Cash        | 4.8%          | 3.0%          | 1.8%          | 99           | 62           | 37          |
| Safety Reserve - ST IG Bonds | 12.7%         | 12.0%         | 0.7%          | 263          | 249          | 13          |
| Investment Grade Bonds       | 1.8%          | 4.0%          | -2.2%         | 37           | 83           | -46         |
| Global Bonds                 | 3.2%          | 4.0%          | -0.8%         | 67           | 83           | -16         |
| High Yield Bonds             | 4.1%          | 4.0%          | 0.1%          | 84           | 83           | 1           |
| Bank Loans                   | 3.9%          | 4.0%          | -0.1%         | 80           | 83           | -3          |
| Emerging Mkt Debt            | 1.0%          | 4.0%          | -3.0%         | 21           | 83           | -62         |
| Private Debt*                | 0.5%          | 0.0%          | 0.5%          | 9            | 0            | 9           |
| <b>Real Assets*</b>          | <b>27.4%</b>  | <b>10.0%</b>  | <b>17.4%</b>  | <b>569</b>   | <b>208</b>   | <b>362</b>  |
| Real Estate*                 | 18.3%         | 5.0%          | 13.3%         | 379          | 104          | 276         |
| Natural Resources*           | 6.5%          | 5.0%          | 1.5%          | 134          | 104          | 30          |
| Infrastructure*              | 2.7%          | 0.0%          | 2.7%          | 56           | 0            | 56          |
| <b>Total</b>                 | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>100.0%</b> | <b>0.0%</b>   | <b>2,076</b> | <b>2,076</b> | <b>0</b>    |
| Safety Reserve               | 17.4%         | 15.0%         | 2.4%          | 362          | 311          | 50          |
| *Private Market Assets       | 42.2%         | 15.0%         | 27.2%         | 875          | 311          | 564         |

Source: Preliminary JP Morgan Custodial Data, Staff Calculations

# 2019 Investment Review Calendar\*

|           |   |
|-----------|---|
| 1Q19 ✓    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Real Estate Reviews: Vista 7, King's Harbor, &amp; Museum Tower</li> <li>• Real Estate Presentations: Clarion, AEW</li> <li>• Global Equity Structure Review (Staff/Meketa)</li> </ul> |
| 2Q19 ✓    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Staff Timber Portfolio Review (FIA &amp; BTG)</li> <li>• Natural Resources: Hancock Presentation</li> <li>• Real Estate: Hearthstone Presentation</li> </ul>                           |
| July ✓    | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Infrastructure: Staff review of AIRRO and JPM Maritime</li> </ul>  |
| Sept. ✓   | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Private Equity: Staff review of Private Equity and Debt</li> </ul>   |
| October ✓ | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Global Equity Manager Reviews</li> </ul>   |
| December  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fixed Income Manager Reviews</li> </ul>  |

\*Presentation schedule is subject to change.



## **DISCUSSION SHEET**

### **ITEM #D6**

**Topic:** **Third Quarter 2019 Investment Performance Analysis and Second Quarter 2019 Private Markets & Real Assets Review**

**Attendees:** Aaron Lally, Executive Vice President – Meketa Investment Group  
Shawn Bowen, Assistant Vice President – Meketa Investment Group

**Discussion:** Meketa and Investment Staff will review investment performance.

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# FUND EVALUATION REPORT

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## Dallas Police & Fire Pension System

Quarterly Review  
As of September 30, 2019



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## **Executive Summary**



## Third Quarter Performance Driver

- Total third quarter DFPF performance was significantly skewed (positively) from one private equity investment.
- The impact (+\$83.7 million in unrealized appreciation) is due to the updated December 31, 2018 valuation of Huff Energy Fund.
- DFPF's net asset value in the fund increased from \$98.0 million to \$181.7 million. No cash flows occurred in-between valuation dates. The increase in fund NAV was directly attributable to a single portfolio company.
- The December 31, 2018 valuation was released in late August 2019 and applied to the third quarter DFPF performance report.
- Staff follow-up confirmed that the valuation process was consistent with the prior years and that the valuation increase was primarily driven by changes in assumptions.

## DPFP 3Q19 Flash Summary

| Category                                   | Result         | Notes  |
|--|----------------|--|
| Total Fund Performance Return              | Positive       | 4.1%   |
| Performance vs. Policy Index               | Outperformed   | 4.1% vs. 0.1%  |
| Performance vs. Peers                      | Outperformed   | 1st percentile in peer group in 3Q19 <sup>1</sup>                |
| Asset Allocation vs. Targets               | Favorable      | Overweight PE and underweight EM helped                          |
| Safety Reserve Exposure                    | Sufficient     | \$351 million (approximately 17%)                                |
| Active Management                          | Favorable      | Private Equity   |
| DPFP Public Markets vs. 60/40 <sup>2</sup> | Underperformed | -0.3% vs. 0.2%   |
| DPFP Public Markets vs. Peers              | Underperformed | 97th percentile in peer group in 3Q19 <sup>1</sup>               |
| Compliance with Targets                    | No             | Under minimums in Investment Grade Bond and EM Debt <sup>3</sup> |

<sup>1</sup> InvestorForce Public DB \$1-\$5 billion net accounts.

<sup>2</sup> Performance of Total Fund excluding private market investments relative to a 60% MSCI ACWI IMI Net/40% Barclays Global Aggregate Index.

<sup>3</sup> Investment Grade Bonds and Emerging Market Debt are below target minimums in accordance with following the implementation plan approved by the Trustees.



**DPFP Trailing One-Year Flash Summary**

| Category                                   | Trailing 1 YR Result | 1 YR Notes  |
|--|----------------------|---|
| Total Fund Performance Return              | Positive             | 5.2%  |
| Performance vs. Policy Index               | Outperformed         | 5.2% vs. 1.9%                                     |
| Performance vs. Peers                      | Outperformed         | 5th percentile in peer group <sup>1</sup>         |
| Asset Allocation vs. Targets               | Favorable            | Overweight PE and underweight EM helped           |
| Active Management                          | Favorable            | PE, Global Equity, EM Equity - Positive Selection |
| DPFP Public Markets vs. 60/40 <sup>2</sup> | Underperformed       | 3.2% vs. 3.7%                                     |
| DPFP Public Markets vs. Peers              | Underperformed       | 51st percentile in peer group <sup>1</sup>        |

**DPFP Trailing Three-Year Flash Summary**

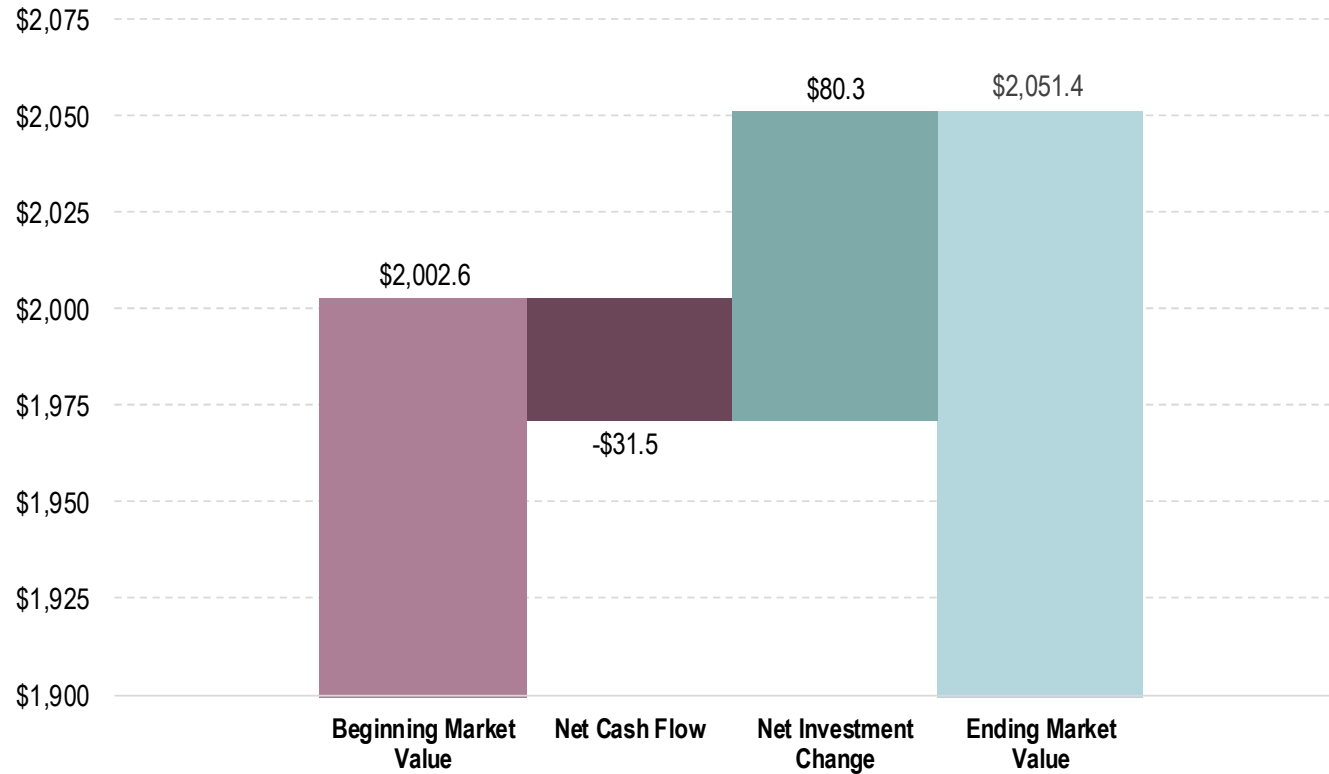
| Category                                   | Trailing 3 YR Result | 3 YR Notes                                 |
|--|----------------------|--|
| Total Fund Performance Return              | Positive             | 4.1%                                       |
| Performance vs. Policy Index               | Underperformed       | 4.1% vs. 6.3%                              |
| Performance vs. Peers                      | Underperformed       | 99th percentile in peer group <sup>1</sup> |
| Active Management                          | Detracted            | PE, NR, RE and PD - Negative Selection     |
| DPFP Public Markets vs. 60/40 <sup>2</sup> | Underperformed       | 5.6% vs. 6.4%                              |
| DPFP Public Markets vs. Peers              | Underperformed       | 99th percentile in peer group <sup>1</sup> |

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### Quarterly Change in Market Value

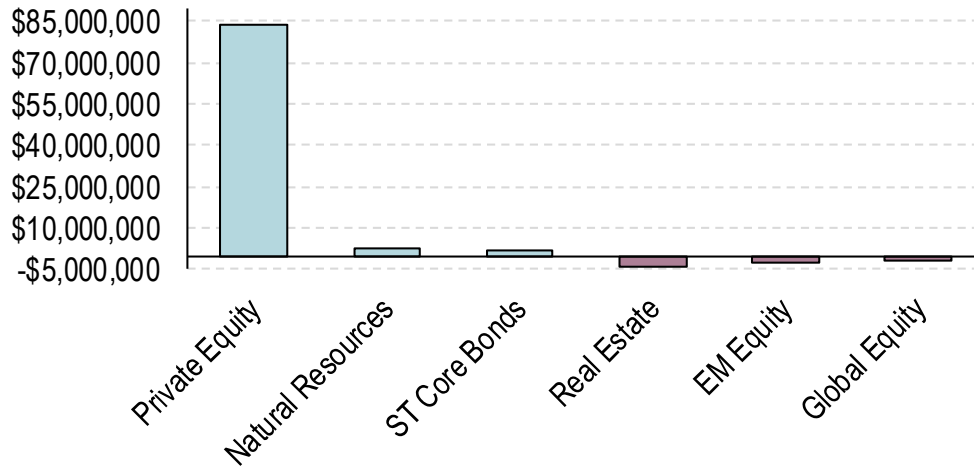


- Total market value increased due to positive investment performance.

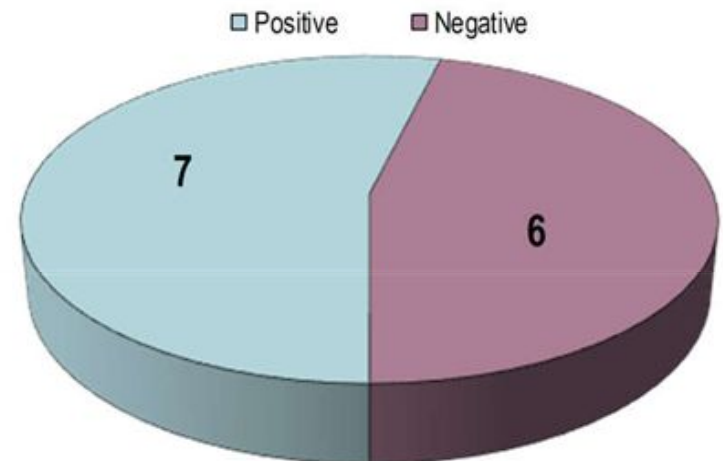


## Quarterly Absolute Performance

**Asset Classes Dollar<sup>1</sup> Gain/Loss  
Top Three and Bottom Three**



**Asset Class Absolute Performance<sup>2</sup>**



- Asset class performance was mixed during the quarter.
- In absolute terms, private equity appreciated the most, gaining approximately \$84 million in market value.
- Real estate depreciated the most, losing approximately \$4 million in market value.

<sup>1</sup> Estimated gain/loss calculated by multiplying beginning market value by quarterly performance.

<sup>2</sup> Investment grade bonds was funded on September 4 and was not included in this analysis.

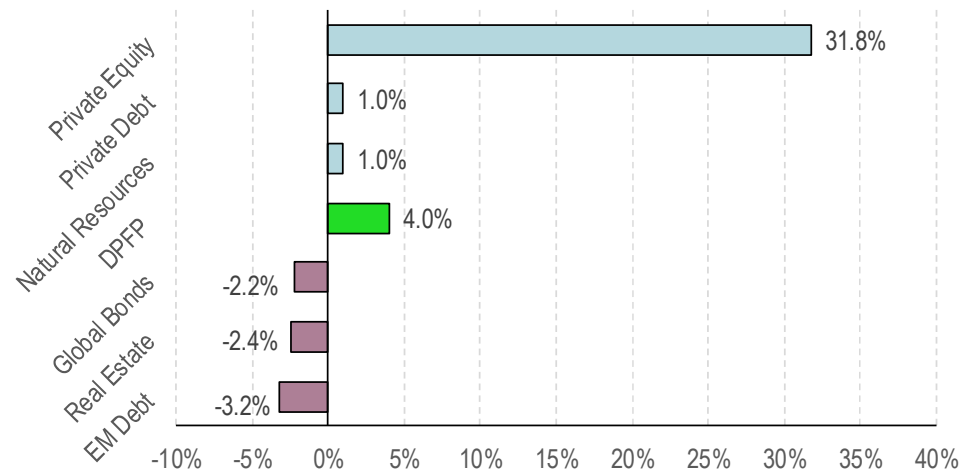


## Quarterly Relative Performance

Asset Classes vs. Benchmarks<sup>1</sup>



Top Three and Bottom Three Asset Classes vs. Benchmarks



- In the quarter, private equity, private debt and natural resources had the best relative performance.
- Emerging markets debt, real estate and global bonds had the worst relative performance in the quarter.
- Six of the thirteen asset classes delivered positive relative performance versus respective benchmarks.

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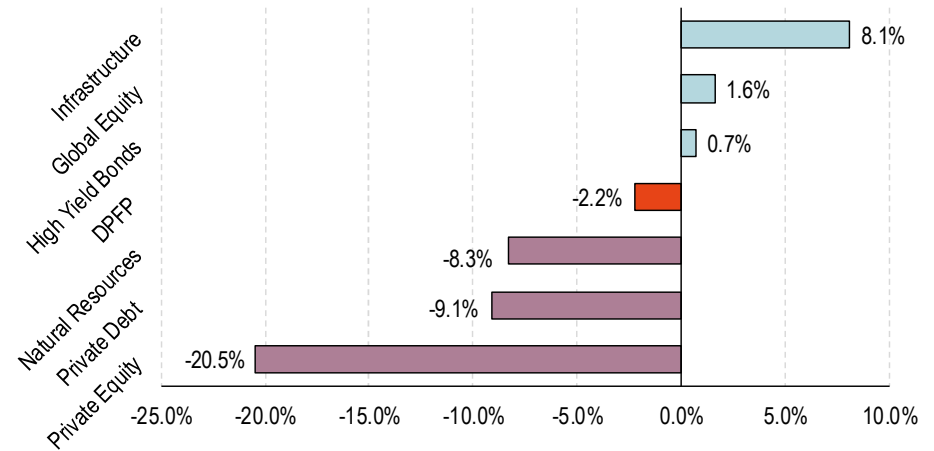


## Trailing Three-Year Relative Performance

Asset Classes vs. Benchmarks



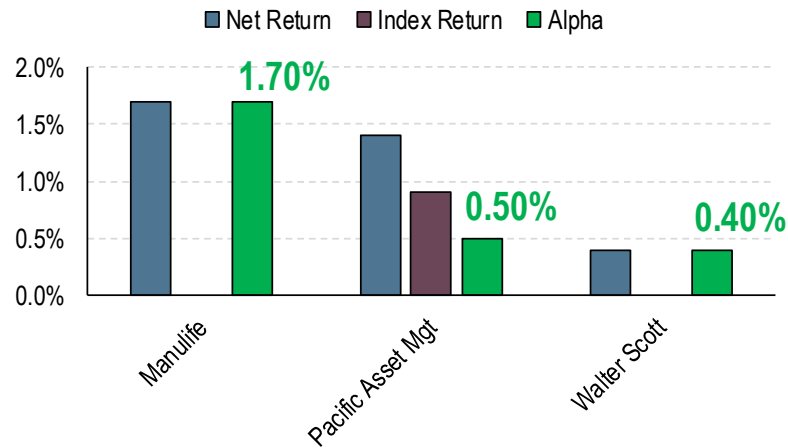
Top Three and Bottom Three Asset Classes vs. Benchmarks



- Six of the eleven asset classes with trailing three-year return history have delivered positive relative performance versus respective benchmarks.
- Over the trailing three-year period, the best relative performance came from infrastructure, global equity and high yield bonds.
- Private equity, private debt and natural resources had the worst relative performance over the three-year trailing period.

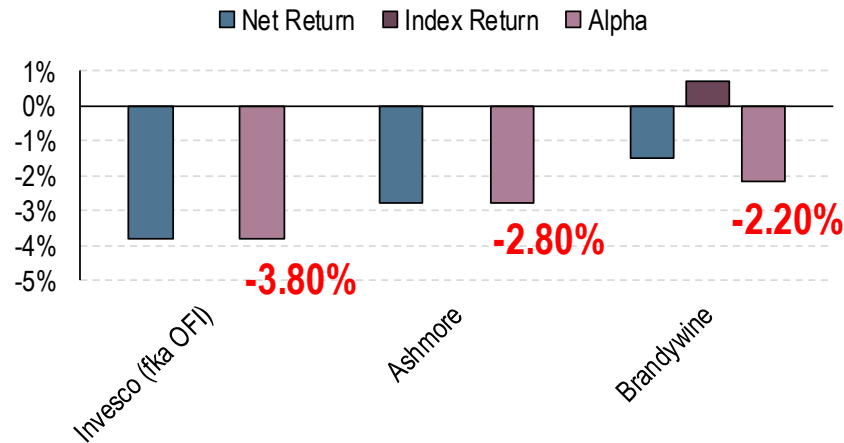
### Public Manager Alpha

**Top Three  
Outperformers in  
Quarter**



**\$280 million**  
combined  
exposure

**Bottom Three  
Underperformers in  
Quarter**



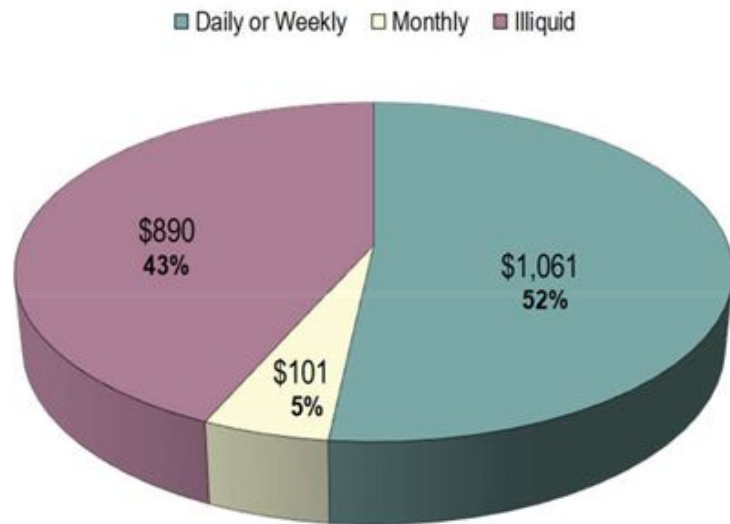
**\$203 million**  
combined  
exposure



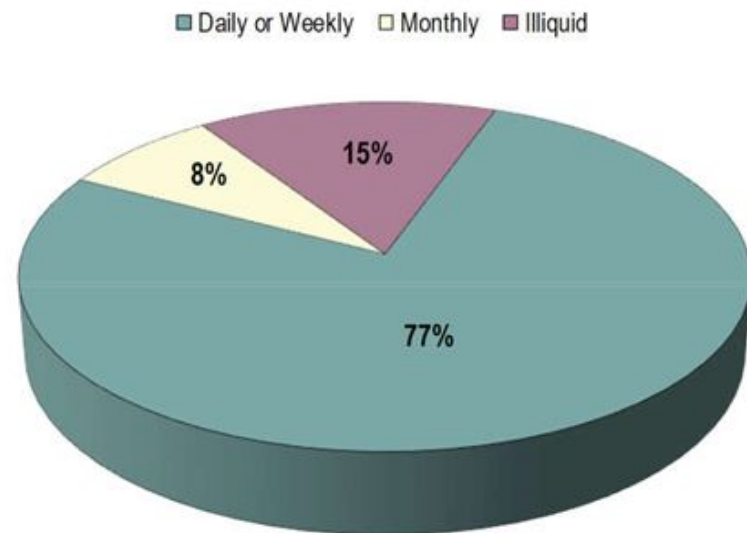


## Liquidity Exposure as of September 30, 2019

### Exposure (\$mm)



### Targets

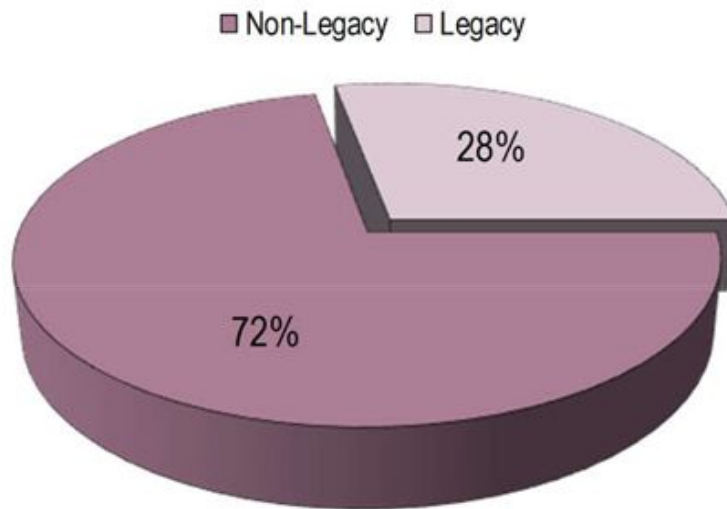


- Approximately 43% of the System's assets are illiquid versus 15% of the target allocation.

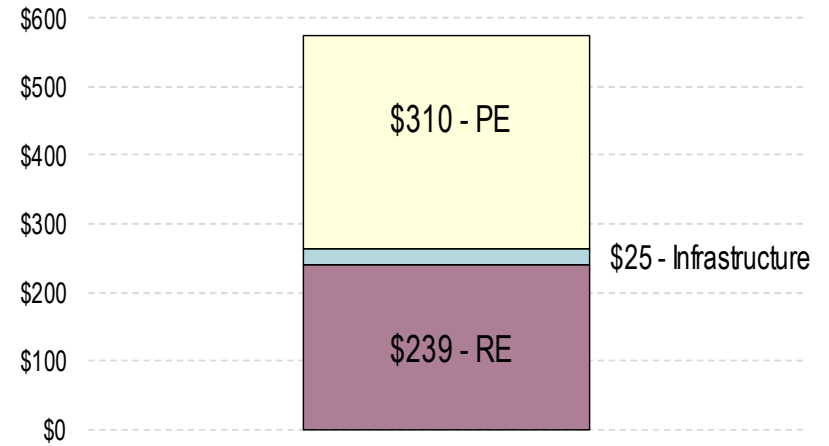
\* Assets can be redeemed between monthly and annual basis often with gating, lock-ups or notice of more than 30 days required.



### Legacy Assets



### Exposure (\$ mm)

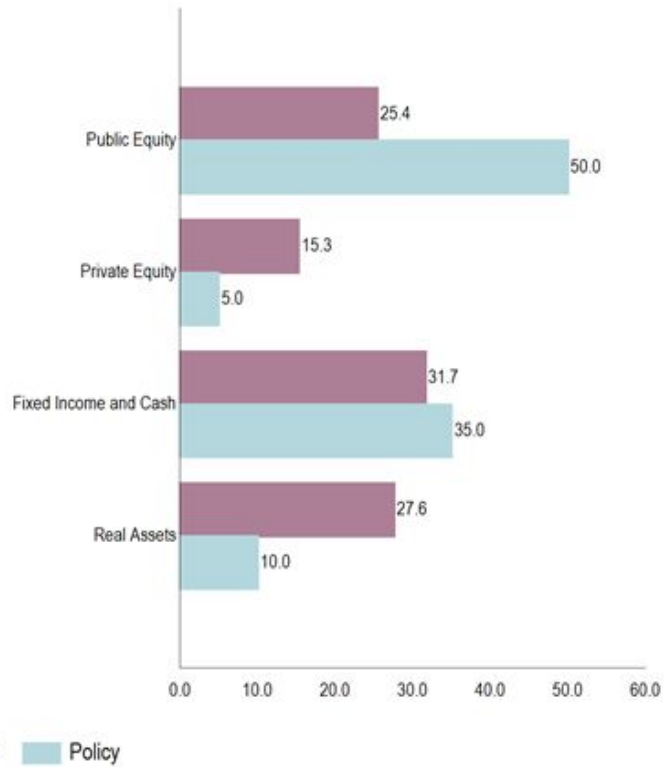


**\$574 million**  
Net Asset Value of Legacy Assets

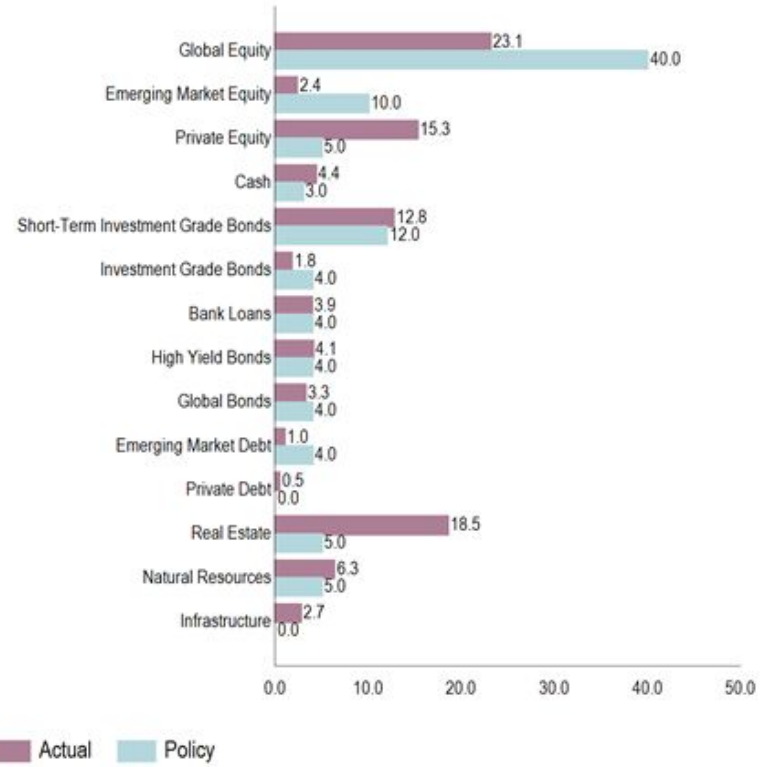


## **3Q19 Review**

**Asset Category**  
Actual vs Target Allocation (%)  
As of September 30, 2019



**Asset Classes**  
Actual vs Target Allocation (%)  
As of September 30, 2019



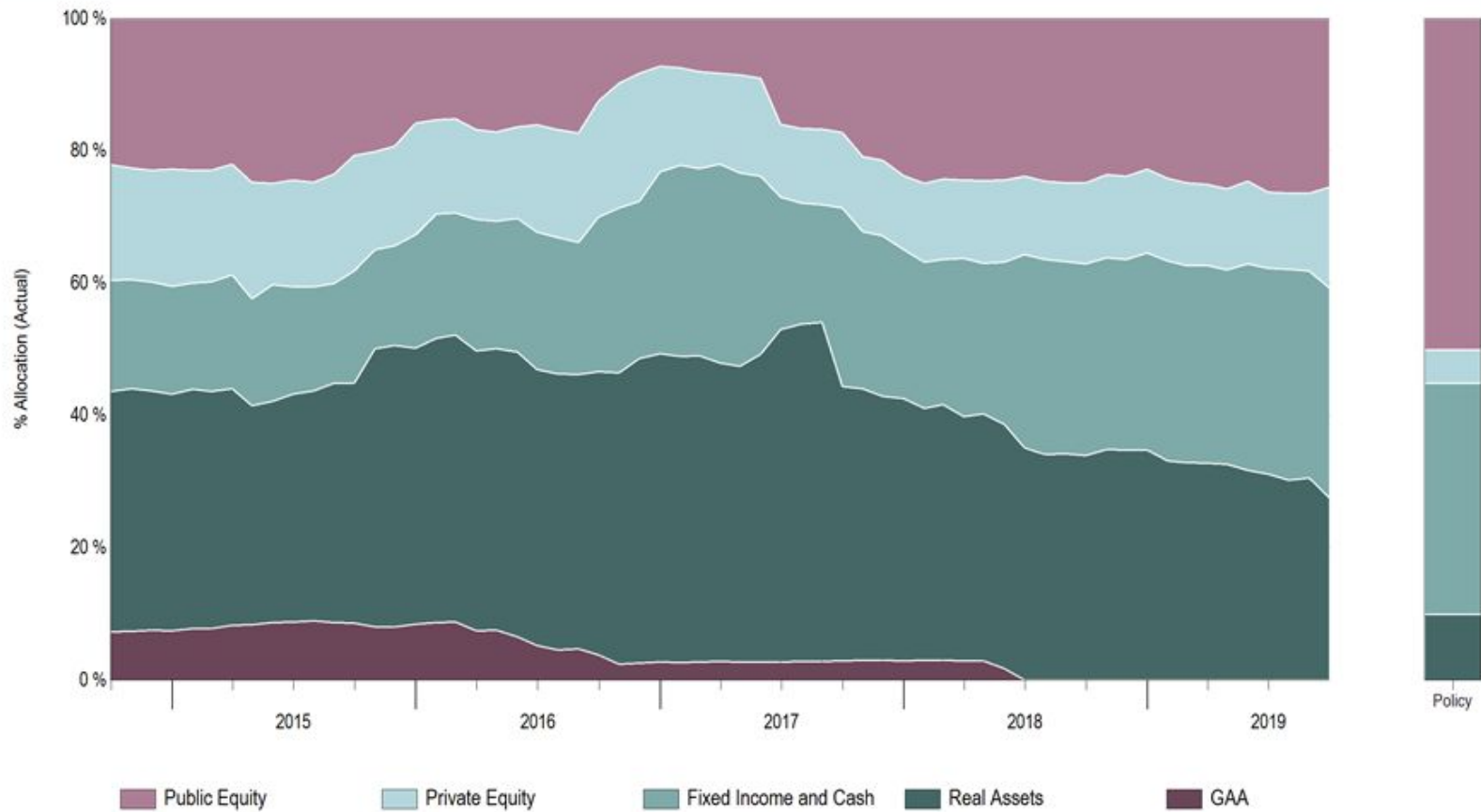
As of September 30, 2019

| Allocation vs. Targets and Policy |                        |                    |             |              |                   |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------|
|                                   | Current Balance        | Current Allocation | Policy      | Policy Range | Within IPS Range? |
| <b>Equity</b>                     | <b>\$835,669,923</b>   | <b>41%</b>         | <b>55%</b>  |              |                   |
| Global Equity                     | \$473,766,806          | 23%                | 40%         | 18% - 48%    | Yes               |
| Emerging Market Equity            | \$48,313,408           | 2%                 | 10%         | 0% - 12%     | Yes               |
| Private Equity                    | \$313,589,709          | 15%                | 5%          |              |                   |
| <b>Fixed Income and Cash</b>      | <b>\$649,404,340</b>   | <b>32%</b>         | <b>35%</b>  |              |                   |
| Cash                              | \$89,679,516           | 4%                 | 3%          | 0% - 5%      | Yes               |
| Short-Term Investment Grade Bonds | \$261,582,683          | 13%                | 12%         | 5% - 15%     | Yes               |
| Investment Grade Bonds            | \$36,706,556           | 2%                 | 4%          | 2% - 6%      | No                |
| Bank Loans                        | \$80,511,192           | 4%                 | 4%          | 2% - 6%      | Yes               |
| High Yield Bonds                  | \$83,880,156           | 4%                 | 4%          | 2% - 6%      | Yes               |
| Global Bonds                      | \$66,941,579           | 3%                 | 4%          | 2% - 6%      | Yes               |
| Emerging Market Debt              | \$20,537,798           | 1%                 | 4%          | 2% - 6%      | No                |
| Private Debt                      | \$9,564,860            | 0%                 | 0%          |              |                   |
| <b>Real Assets</b>                | <b>\$566,358,857</b>   | <b>28%</b>         | <b>10%</b>  |              |                   |
| Real Estate                       | \$380,103,520          | 19%                | 5%          |              |                   |
| Natural Resources                 | \$130,193,631          | 6%                 | 5%          |              |                   |
| Infrastructure                    | \$56,061,706           | 3%                 | 0%          |              |                   |
| <b>Total</b>                      | <b>\$2,051,433,119</b> | <b>100%</b>        | <b>100%</b> |              |                   |

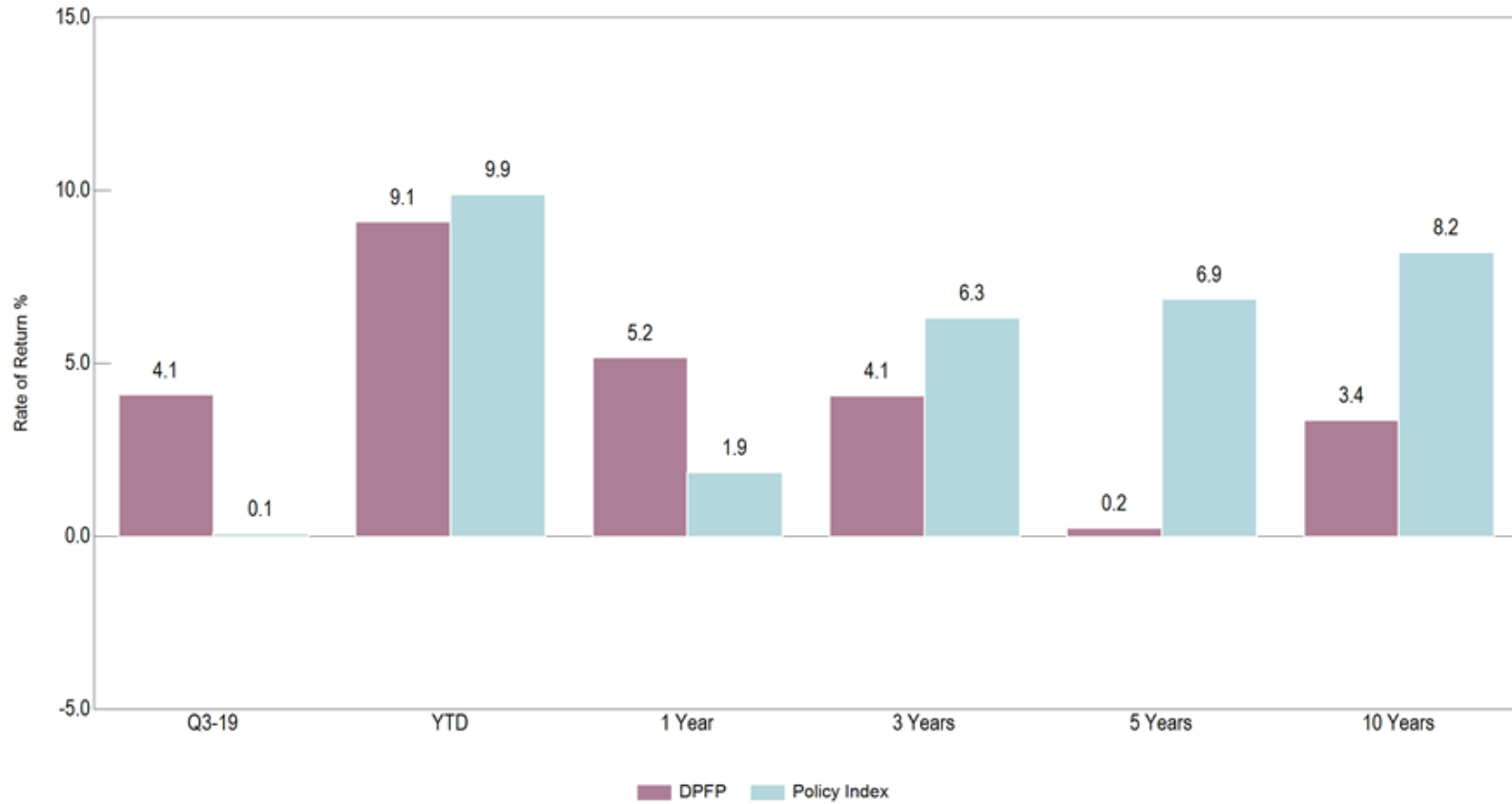
As of 9/30/2019, the Safety Reserve exposure was approximately \$351.3 million (17.1%).  
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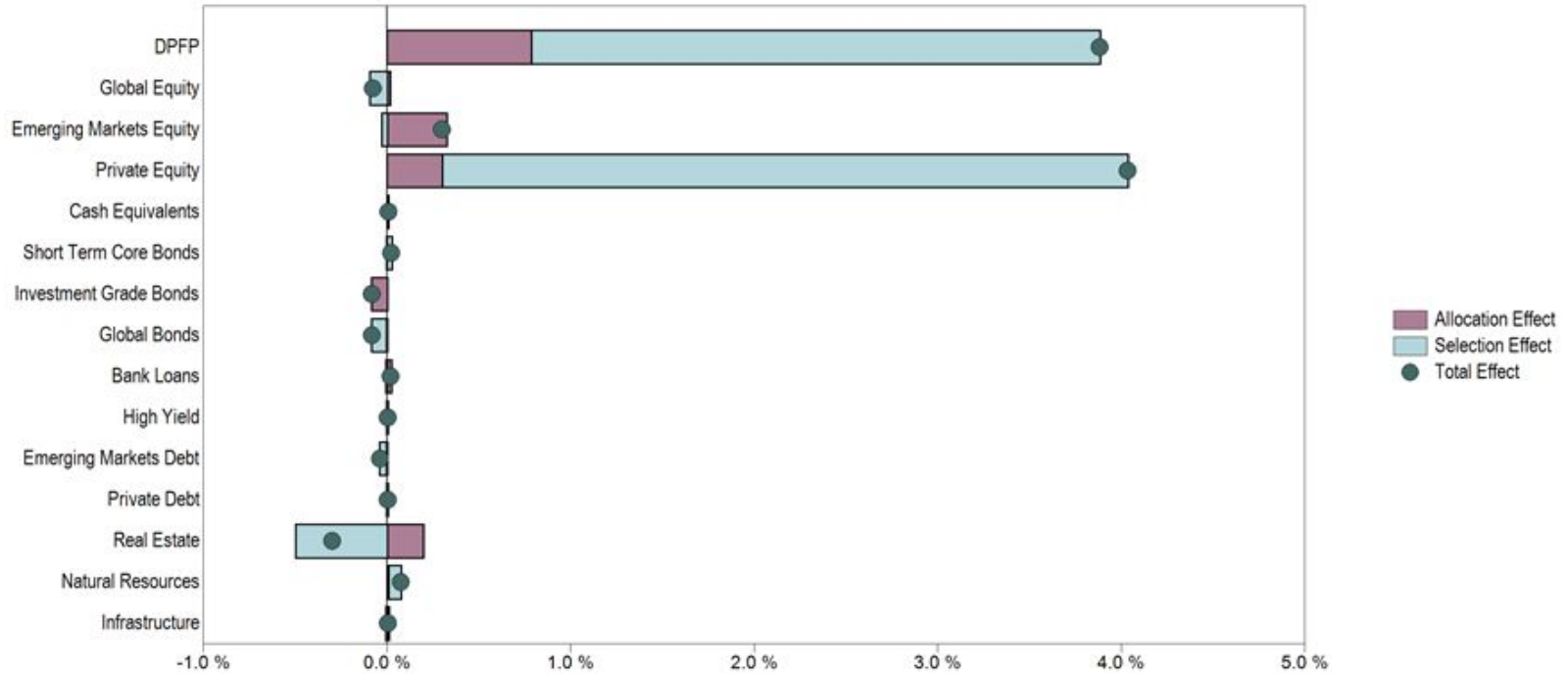
Asset Allocation History vs. Policy  
5 Years Ending September 30, 2019



Net Return Summary  
Ending September 30, 2019



Attribution Effects vs. Policy Benchmark  
3 Months Ending September 30, 2019



Attribution Summary  
3 Months Ending September 30, 2019

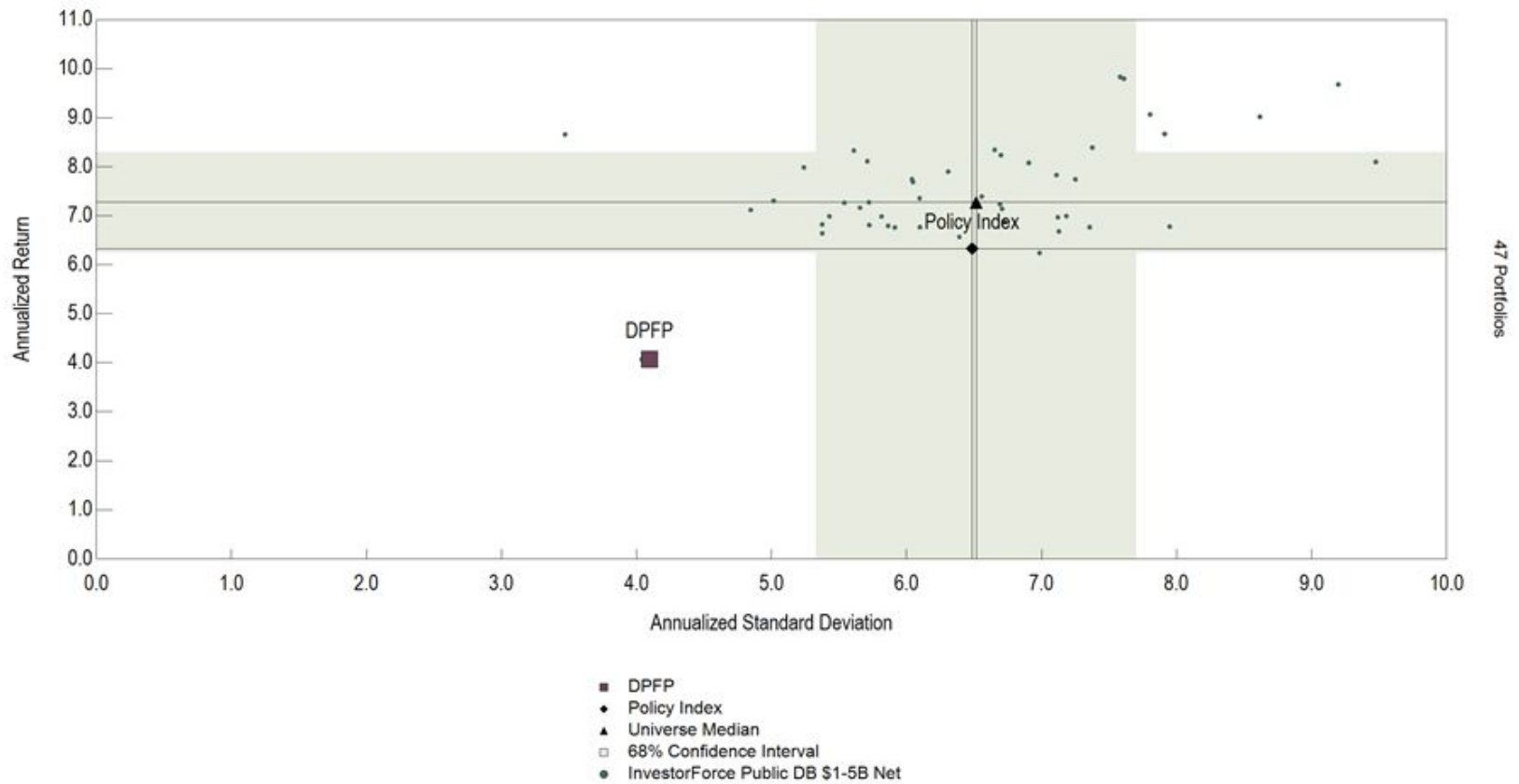
|              | Wtd. Actual Return | Wtd. Index Return | Excess Return | Selection Effect | Allocation Effect | Total Effects |
|--------------|--------------------|-------------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|---------------|
| <b>Total</b> | <b>4.1%</b>        | <b>0.2%</b>       | <b>3.9%</b>   | <b>3.1%</b>      | <b>0.8%</b>       | <b>3.9%</b>   |

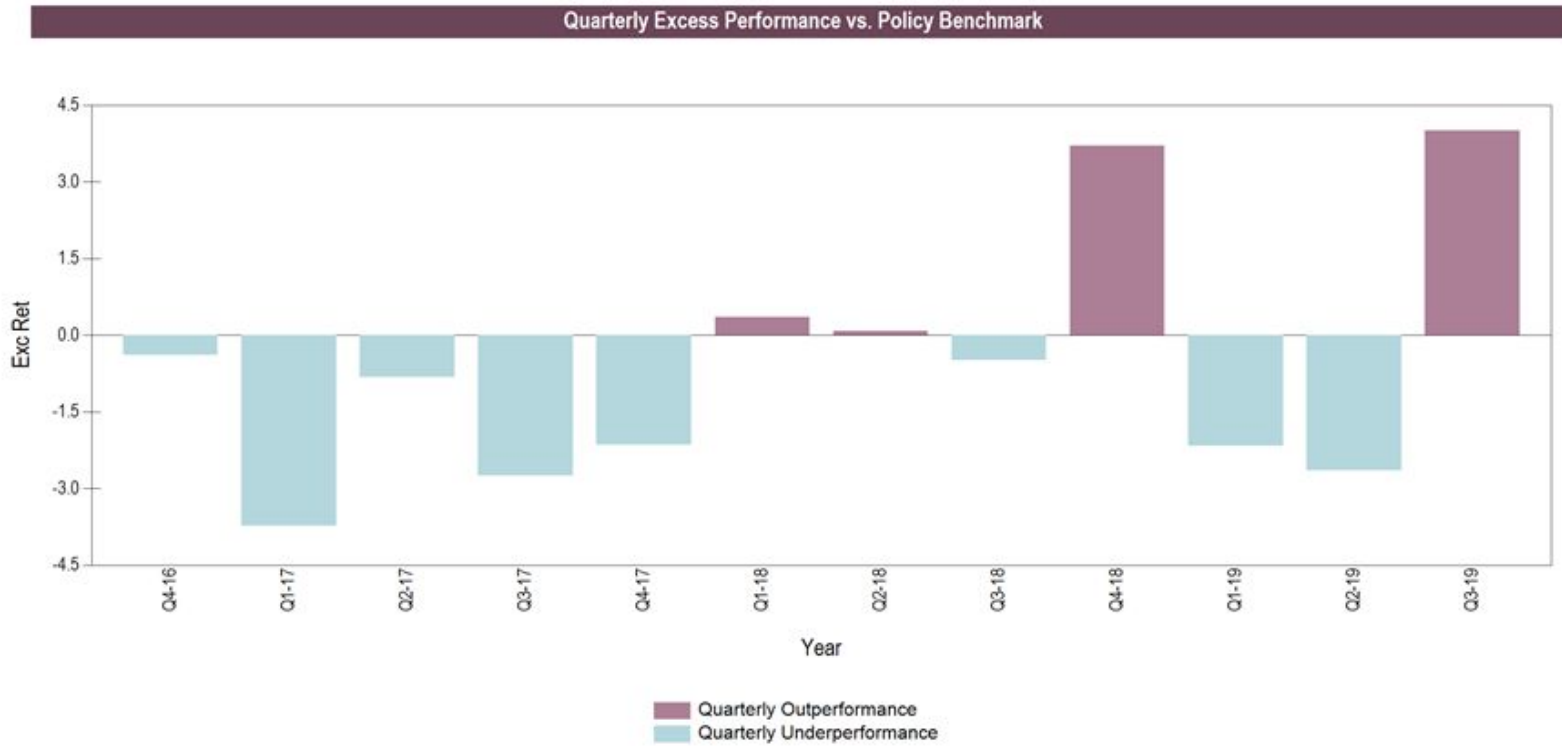
The performance calculation methodology in attribution tables is different from the standard time weighted returns (geometric linkage of monthly returns) found throughout the rest of the report. In attribution tables, the average weight of each asset class (over the specified time period) is multiplied by the time period performance of that asset class and summed. Values may not foot due to rounding.





Net Annualized Return vs. Annualized Standard Deviation  
3 Years Ending September 30, 2019





Total Fund Correlation Matrix  
1 Year Ending September 30, 2019

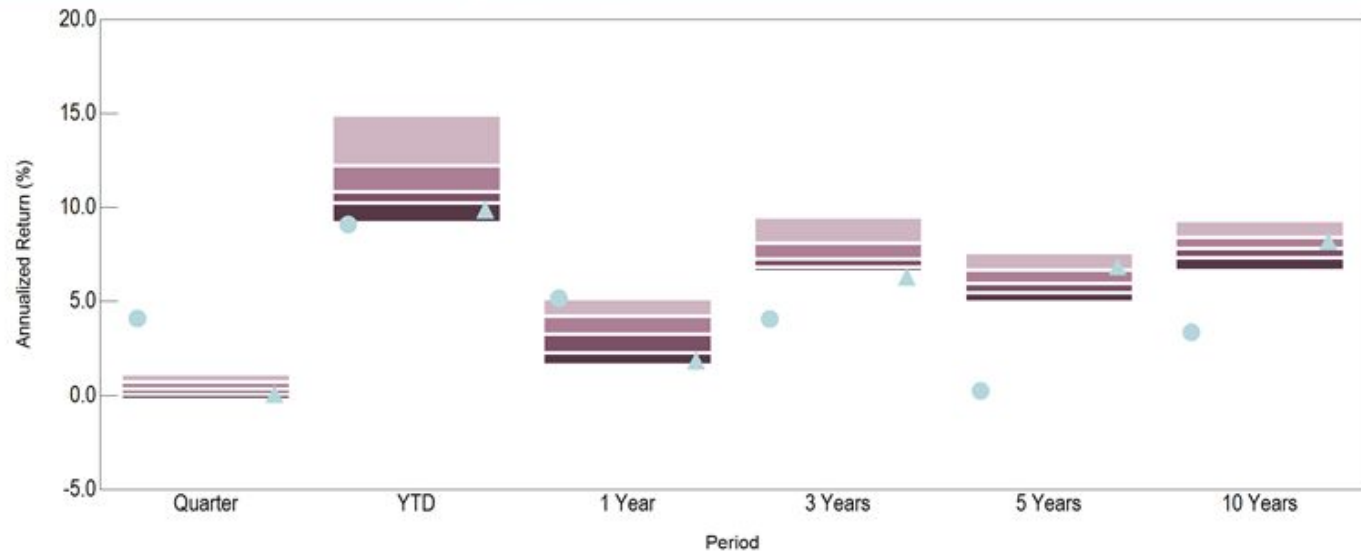
|                                       | DPFP | Policy Index | 60% MSCI ACWI/40% Barclays Global Agg |
|---------------------------------------|------|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| DPFP                                  | 1.00 | -            | -                                     |
| Policy Index                          | 0.73 | 1.00         | -                                     |
| 60% MSCI ACWI/40% Barclays Global Agg | 0.67 | 0.99         | 1.00                                  |

Total Fund Correlation Matrix  
3 Years Ending September 30, 2019

|                                       | DPFP | Policy Index | 60% MSCI ACWI/40% Barclays Global Agg |
|---------------------------------------|------|--------------|---------------------------------------|
| DPFP                                  | 1.00 | -            | -                                     |
| Policy Index                          | 0.70 | 1.00         | -                                     |
| 60% MSCI ACWI/40% Barclays Global Agg | 0.65 | 0.97         | 1.00                                  |



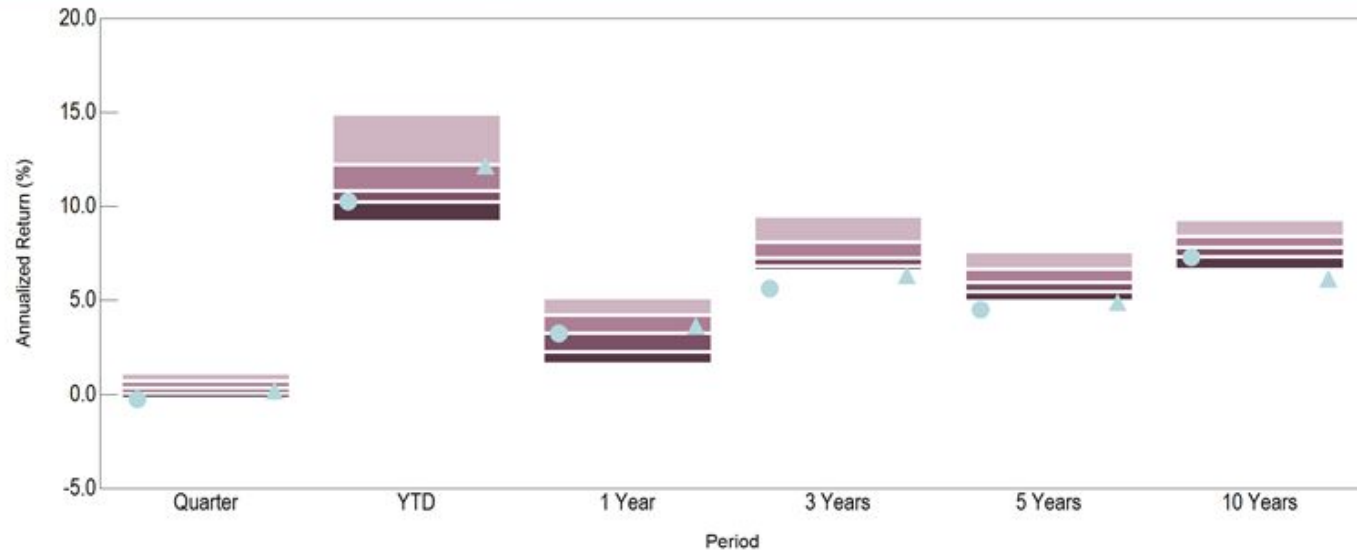
**Total Plan vs. InvestorForce Public DB \$1-5B Net Accounts  
Ending September 30, 2019**



|                 | Return (Rank) |      | Quarter |      | YTD  |      | 1 Year |      | 3 Years |      | 5 Years |      | 10 Years |      |
|-----------------|---------------|------|---------|------|------|------|--------|------|---------|------|---------|------|----------|------|
| 5th Percentile  |               |      | 1.1     | (1)  | 14.9 | (98) | 5.2    | (5)  | 9.5     | (99) | 7.6     | (99) | 9.3      | (99) |
| 25th Percentile |               |      | 0.7     | (76) | 12.2 | (81) | 4.2    | (89) | 8.1     | (98) | 6.7     | (20) | 8.4      | (30) |
| Median          |               |      | 0.4     |      | 10.9 |      | 3.3    |      | 7.3     |      | 6.0     |      | 7.9      |      |
| 75th Percentile |               |      | 0.1     |      | 10.2 |      | 2.3    |      | 6.8     |      | 5.5     |      | 7.3      |      |
| 95th Percentile |               |      | -0.2    |      | 9.2  |      | 1.6    |      | 6.6     |      | 5.0     |      | 6.7      |      |
| # of Portfolios |               |      | 47      |      | 47   |      | 47     |      | 47      |      | 46      |      | 42       |      |
| ● DPFP          | 4.1           | (1)  | 9.1     | (98) | 5.2  | (5)  | 4.1    | (99) | 0.2     | (99) | 3.4     | (99) |          |      |
| ▲ Policy Index  | 0.1           | (76) | 9.9     | (81) | 1.9  | (89) | 6.3    | (98) | 6.9     | (20) | 8.2     | (30) |          |      |



Total Plan ex Privates vs. InvestorForce Public DB \$1-5B Net Accounts  
As of September 30, 2019



|   | Return (Rank) |      |      |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |     |      |
|---|---------------|------|------|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|------|
| 5th Percentile                              | 1.1           | 14.9 | 5.2  | 9.5  | 7.6 | 9.3  |     |      |     |      |     |      |
| 25th Percentile                             | 0.7           | 12.2 | 4.2  | 8.1  | 6.7 | 8.4  |     |      |     |      |     |      |
| Median                                      | 0.4           | 10.9 | 3.3  | 7.3  | 6.0 | 7.9  |     |      |     |      |     |      |
| 75th Percentile                             | 0.1           | 10.2 | 2.3  | 6.8  | 5.5 | 7.3  |     |      |     |      |     |      |
| 95th Percentile                             | -0.2          | 9.2  | 1.6  | 6.6  | 5.0 | 6.7  |     |      |     |      |     |      |
| # of Portfolios                             | 47            | 47   | 47   | 47   | 46  | 42   |     |      |     |      |     |      |
| ● Total Fund ex Privates                    | -0.3          | (97) | 10.3 | (74) | 3.2 | (51) | 5.6 | (99) | 4.5 | (98) | 7.3 | (79) |
| ▲ 60% MSCI ACWI IMI Net/40% Barclays Global | 0.2           | (71) | 12.2 | (26) | 3.7 | (40) | 6.4 | (98) | 4.9 | (97) | 6.2 | (97) |



## Dallas Police &amp; Fire Pension System

DPFP

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## Asset Class Performance Summary (Net)

|  | Market Value<br>(\$) | % of<br>Portfolio | QTD<br>(%)  | YTD<br>(%)  | 1 Yr<br>(%) | 3 Yrs<br>(%) | 5 Yrs<br>(%) | 10 Yrs<br>(%) | Inception<br>(%) | Inception<br>Date |
|--|----------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <b>DPFP</b>  | <b>2,051,433,119</b> | <b>100.0</b>      | <b>4.1</b>  | <b>9.1</b>  | <b>5.2</b>  | <b>4.1</b>   | <b>0.2</b>   | <b>3.4</b>    | <b>5.9</b>       | <b>Jun-96</b>     |
| <i>Policy Index</i>  |                      |                   | 0.1         | 9.9         | 1.9         | 6.3          | 6.9          | 8.2           | --               | Jun-96            |
| <i>Allocation Index</i>  |                      |                   | 1.0         | 8.0         | 3.0         | 6.7          | 7.1          | 7.9           | 7.2              | Jun-96            |
| <i>Total Fund Ex Private Markets</i>                             |                      |                   | -0.3        | 10.3        | 3.2         | 5.6          | 4.5          | 7.3           | 5.4              | Jun-96            |
| <i>60% MSCI ACWI IMI Net/40% Barclays Global Aggregate Index</i> |                      |                   | 0.2         | 12.2        | 3.7         | 6.4          | 4.9          | 6.2           | 6.0              | Jun-96            |
| <b>Global Equity</b>   | <b>473,766,806</b>   | <b>23.1</b>       | <b>-0.3</b> | <b>18.1</b> | <b>2.1</b>  | <b>11.0</b>  | <b>8.3</b>   | <b>9.5</b>    | <b>6.4</b>       | <b>Jul-06</b>     |
| <i>MSCI ACWI IMI Net USD</i>                                     |                      |                   | -0.2        | 15.9        | 0.5         | 9.4          | 6.6          | 8.4           | 5.9              | Jul-06            |
| <b>Emerging Markets Equity</b>                                   | <b>48,313,408</b>    | <b>2.4</b>        | <b>-5.1</b> | <b>7.2</b>  | <b>3.3</b>  | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>     | <b>-2.2</b>      | <b>Jan-18</b>     |
| <i>MSCI Emerging Market IMI Net</i>                              |                      |                   | -4.3        | 5.4         | -2.4        | 5.4          | 2.0          | 3.4           | -6.1             | Jan-18            |
| <b>Private Equity</b>  | <b>313,589,709</b>   | <b>15.3</b>       | <b>36.5</b> | <b>25.2</b> | <b>24.2</b> | <b>-4.9</b>  | <b>-6.4</b>  | <b>-0.7</b>   | <b>1.0</b>       | <b>Oct-05</b>     |
| <i>Cambridge Associates US All PE (1 Qtr Lag)</i>                |                      |                   | 4.7         | 8.0         | 12.0        | 15.6         | 11.7         | 14.7          | 12.9             | Oct-05            |
| <b>Cash Equivalents</b>  | <b>89,679,516</b>    | <b>4.4</b>        | <b>0.6</b>  | <b>1.8</b>  | <b>2.4</b>  | <b>1.6</b>   | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>     | <b>1.5</b>       | <b>Apr-15</b>     |
| <i>91 Day T-Bills</i>  |                      |                   | 0.5         | 1.7         | 2.3         | 1.5          | 1.0          | 0.5           | 1.1              | Apr-15            |
| <b>Short Term Core Bonds</b>                                     | <b>261,582,683</b>   | <b>12.8</b>       | <b>0.8</b>  | <b>3.7</b>  | <b>4.7</b>  | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>     | <b>2.5</b>       | <b>Jun-17</b>     |
| <i>BBgBarc US Treasury 1-3 Yr TR</i>                             |                      |                   | 0.6         | 3.1         | 4.4         | 1.5          | 1.3          | 1.2           | 2.0              | Jun-17            |
| <b>Investment Grade Bonds</b>                                    | <b>36,706,556</b>    | <b>1.8</b>        |             |             |             |              |              |               |                  |                   |
| <i>BBgBarc US Aggregate TR</i>                                   |                      |                   | 2.3         | 8.5         | 10.3        | 2.9          | 3.4          | 3.7           | 8.8              | Aug-18            |
| <b>Global Bonds</b>  | <b>66,941,579</b>    | <b>3.3</b>        | <b>-1.5</b> | <b>5.1</b>  | <b>3.8</b>  | <b>1.9</b>   | <b>1.8</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>2.7</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| <i>BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR</i>                               |                      |                   | 0.7         | 6.3         | 7.6         | 1.6          | 2.0          | 2.3           | 2.1              | Dec-10            |
| <b>Bank Loans</b>  | <b>80,511,192</b>    | <b>3.9</b>        | <b>0.9</b>  | <b>5.9</b>  | <b>2.7</b>  | <b>4.8</b>   | <b>4.1</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>4.1</b>       | <b>Jan-14</b>     |
| <i>S&amp;P/LSTA Leveraged Loan</i>                               |                      |                   | 1.0         | 6.8         | 3.1         | 4.5          | 4.0          | --            | 3.8              | Jan-14            |
| <b>High Yield</b>  | <b>83,880,156</b>    | <b>4.1</b>        | <b>-0.6</b> | <b>5.7</b>  | <b>-0.4</b> | <b>5.5</b>   | <b>3.2</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>6.0</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| <i>BBgBarc Global High Yield TR</i>                              |                      |                   | -0.7        | 8.8         | 5.0         | 4.8          | 4.5          | 7.4           | 6.2              | Dec-10            |
| <b>Emerging Markets Debt</b>                                     | <b>20,537,798</b>    | <b>1.0</b>        | <b>-2.8</b> | <b>7.0</b>  | <b>6.5</b>  | <b>3.8</b>   | <b>3.3</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>3.5</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| <i>50% JPM EMBI/50% JPM GBI-EM</i>                               |                      |                   | 0.4         | 10.4        | 10.9        | 3.9          | 3.1          | --            | 3.5              | Dec-10            |
| <b>Private Debt</b>  | <b>9,564,860</b>     | <b>0.5</b>        | <b>0.8</b>  | <b>2.3</b>  | <b>0.9</b>  | <b>-2.2</b>  | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>     | <b>-2.1</b>      | <b>Jan-16</b>     |
| <i>Barclays Global High Yield +2%</i>                            |                      |                   | -0.2        | 10.4        | 7.1         | 6.9          | --           | --            | 9.8              | Jan-16            |

<sup>1</sup> Please see the Appendix for composition of the Custom Benchmarks. <sup>2</sup> As of 9/30/2019, the Safety Reserve exposure was approximately \$351.3 million (17.1%). <sup>3</sup> All private market data is one quarter lagged, unless otherwise noted.



## Dallas Police &amp; Fire Pension System

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## Asset Class Performance Summary (Net)

|  | Market Value<br>(\$) | % of<br>Portfolio | QTD<br>(%)  | YTD<br>(%)  | 1 Yr<br>(%) | 3 Yrs<br>(%) | 5 Yrs<br>(%) | 10 Yrs<br>(%) | Inception<br>(%) | Inception<br>Date |
|--|----------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Real Estate</b>                               | <b>380,103,520</b>   | <b>18.5</b>       | <b>-0.9</b> | <b>0.3</b>  | <b>0.9</b>  | <b>4.2</b>   | <b>-6.3</b>  | <b>-3.5</b>   | <b>3.7</b>       | <b>Mar-85</b>     |
| <i>NCREIF Property (1-quarter lagged)</i>        |                      |                   | 1.5         | 4.8         | 6.5         | 6.9          | 8.8          | 9.3           | 8.1              | Mar-85            |
| <b>Natural Resources</b>                         | <b>130,193,631</b>   | <b>6.3</b>        | <b>1.7</b>  | <b>5.4</b>  | <b>4.3</b>  | <b>-2.0</b>  | <b>1.4</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>4.1</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| <i>NCREIF Farmland Total Return Index 1Q Lag</i> |                      |                   | 0.7         | 4.3         | 5.7         | 6.3          | 8.0          | 11.1          | 11.9             | Dec-10            |
| <b>Infrastructure</b>                            | <b>56,061,706</b>    | <b>2.7</b>        | <b>0.4</b>  | <b>-2.8</b> | <b>-6.0</b> | <b>16.1</b>  | <b>7.1</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>6.8</b>       | <b>Jul-12</b>     |
| <i>S&amp;P Global Infrastructure TR USD</i>      |                      |                   | 0.6         | 20.8        | 14.6        | 8.0          | 5.8          | 7.8           | 8.6              | Jul-12            |

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Trailing Net Performance

|  | Market Value<br>(\$) | % of<br>Portfolio | % of<br>Sector | QTD<br>(%)  | YTD<br>(%)  | 1 Yr<br>(%) | 3 Yrs<br>(%) | 5 Yrs<br>(%) | 10 Yrs<br>(%) | Inception<br>(%) | Inception<br>Date |
|--|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <b>DPFP</b>  | <b>2,051,433,119</b> | <b>100.0</b>      | <b>--</b>      | <b>4.1</b>  | <b>9.1</b>  | <b>5.2</b>  | <b>4.1</b>   | <b>0.2</b>   | <b>3.4</b>    | <b>5.9</b>       | <b>Jun-96</b>     |
| <i>Policy Index</i>  |                      |                   |                | 0.1         | 9.9         | 1.9         | 6.3          | 6.9          | 8.2           | --               | Jun-96            |
| <i>Allocation Index</i>  |                      |                   |                | 1.0         | 8.0         | 3.0         | 6.7          | 7.1          | 7.9           | 7.2              | Jun-96            |
| <i>Total Fund Ex Private Markets</i>                             |                      |                   |                | -0.3        | 10.3        | 3.2         | 5.6          | 4.5          | 7.3           | 5.4              | Jun-96            |
| <i>60% MSCI ACWI IMI Net/40% Barclays Global Aggregate Index</i> |                      |                   |                | 0.2         | 12.2        | 3.7         | 6.4          | 4.9          | 6.2           | 6.0              | Jun-96            |
| <i>InvestorForce Public DB \$1-5B Net Rank</i>                   |                      |                   |                | 1           | 98          | 5           | 99           | 99           | 99            | 82               | Jun-96            |
| <b>Total Equity</b>  | <b>835,669,923</b>   | <b>40.7</b>       | <b>40.7</b>    | <b>10.6</b> | <b>19.9</b> | <b>9.5</b>  | <b>1.0</b>   | <b>2.1</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>5.1</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| <i>MSCI ACWI IMI Net USD</i>                                     |                      |                   |                | -0.2        | 15.9        | 0.5         | 9.4          | 6.6          | 8.4           | 7.5              | Dec-10            |
| <b>Public Equity</b>   | <b>522,080,214</b>   | <b>25.4</b>       | <b>62.5</b>    | <b>-0.7</b> | <b>17.0</b> | <b>2.2</b>  | <b>10.6</b>  | <b>8.0</b>   | <b>9.4</b>    | <b>6.3</b>       | <b>Jul-06</b>     |
| <i>MSCI ACWI IMI Net USD</i>                                     |                      |                   |                | -0.2        | 15.9        | 0.5         | 9.4          | 6.6          | 8.4           | 5.9              | Jul-06            |
| <i>eV All Global Equity Net Rank</i>                             |                      |                   |                | 60          | 47          | 40          | 30           | 33           | 43            | 41               | Jul-06            |
| <b>Global Equity</b>   | <b>473,766,806</b>   | <b>23.1</b>       | <b>90.7</b>    | <b>-0.3</b> | <b>18.1</b> | <b>2.1</b>  | <b>11.0</b>  | <b>8.3</b>   | <b>9.5</b>    | <b>6.4</b>       | <b>Jul-06</b>     |
| <i>MSCI ACWI IMI Net USD</i>                                     |                      |                   |                | -0.2        | 15.9        | 0.5         | 9.4          | 6.6          | 8.4           | 5.9              | Jul-06            |
| <i>eV All Global Equity Net Rank</i>                             |                      |                   |                | 51          | 39          | 40          | 26           | 30           | 40            | 39               | Jul-06            |
| <i>Boston Partners Global Equity Fund</i>                        | 119,473,739          | 5.8               | 25.2           | 0.4         | 11.7        | -4.8        | --           | --           | --            | 3.1              | Jul-17            |
| <i>MSCI World Net</i>  |                      |                   |                | 0.5         | 17.6        | 1.8         | 10.2         | 7.2          | 9.0           | 7.9              | Jul-17            |
| <i>eV Global Large Cap Value Eq Net Rank</i>                     |                      |                   |                | 47          | 61          | 78          | --           | --           | --            | 64               | Jul-17            |
| <i>Manulife Global Equity Strategy</i>                           | 120,848,508          | 5.9               | 25.5           | 1.7         | 21.9        | 8.2         | --           | --           | --            | 7.1              | Jul-17            |
| <i>MSCI ACWI Net</i>   |                      |                   |                | 0.0         | 16.2        | 1.4         | 9.7          | 6.7          | 8.3           | 7.2              | Jul-17            |
| <i>eV Global Large Cap Value Eq Net Rank</i>                     |                      |                   |                | 15          | 1           | 1           | --           | --           | --            | 13               | Jul-17            |
| <i>Invesco (fka OFI) Global Equity</i>                           | 115,255,884          | 5.6               | 24.3           | -3.8        | 17.3        | -1.8        | 12.0         | 7.9          | 10.1          | 5.9              | Oct-07            |
| <i>MSCI ACWI Net</i>   |                      |                   |                | 0.0         | 16.2        | 1.4         | 9.7          | 6.7          | 8.3           | 4.1              | Oct-07            |
| <i>eV Global Large Cap Growth Eq Net Rank</i>                    |                      |                   |                | 93          | 87          | 89          | 73           | 84           | 74            | 65               | Oct-07            |
| <i>Walter Scott Global Equity Fund</i>                           | 118,188,675          | 5.8               | 24.9           | 0.4         | 20.8        | 6.3         | 13.6         | 9.9          | --            | 9.9              | Dec-09            |
| <i>MSCI ACWI Net</i>   |                      |                   |                | 0.0         | 16.2        | 1.4         | 9.7          | 6.7          | 8.3           | 8.2              | Dec-09            |
| <i>eV Global Large Cap Growth Eq Net Rank</i>                    |                      |                   |                | 36          | 65          | 49          | 39           | 34           | --            | 70               | Dec-09            |

<sup>1</sup>60% MSCI ACWI IMI Net/40% Barclays Global Aggregate Index composed of 60% MSCI ACWI (Net)/ 40% Barclays Global Aggregate in periods before 2/1/1997.





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|   | Market Value<br>(\$) | % of<br>Portfolio | % of<br>Sector | QTD<br>(%)  | YTD<br>(%)  | 1 Yr<br>(%) | 3 Yrs<br>(%) | 5 Yrs<br>(%) | 10 Yrs<br>(%) | Inception<br>(%) | Inception<br>Date |
|---|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Emerging Markets Equity</b>                    | <b>48,313,408</b>    | <b>2.4</b>        | <b>9.3</b>     | <b>-5.1</b> | <b>7.2</b>  | <b>3.3</b>  | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>     | <b>-2.2</b>      | <b>Jan-18</b>     |
| <i>MSCI Emerging Market IMI Net</i>               |                      |                   |                | -4.3        | 5.4         | -2.4        | 5.4          | 2.0          | 3.4           | -6.1             | Jan-18            |
| <i>eV Emg Mkts Equity Net Rank</i>                |                      |                   |                | 82          | 57          | 22          | --           | --           | --            | 10               | Jan-18            |
| RBC Emerging Markets Equity                       | 48,313,408           | 2.4               | 100.0          | -5.1        | 7.2         | 3.3         | --           | --           | --            | -2.2             | Jan-18            |
| <i>MSCI Emerging Market IMI Net</i>               |                      |                   |                | -4.3        | 5.4         | -2.4        | 5.4          | 2.0          | 3.4           | -6.1             | Jan-18            |
| <i>eV Emg Mkts Equity Net Rank</i>                |                      |                   |                | 82          | 57          | 22          | --           | --           | --            | 10               | Jan-18            |
| <b>Private Equity</b>                             | <b>313,589,709</b>   | <b>15.3</b>       | <b>37.5</b>    | <b>36.5</b> | <b>25.2</b> | <b>24.2</b> | <b>-4.9</b>  | <b>-6.4</b>  | <b>-0.7</b>   | <b>1.0</b>       | <b>Oct-05</b>     |
| <i>Cambridge Associates US All PE (1 Qtr Lag)</i> |                      |                   |                | 4.7         | 8.0         | 12.0        | 15.6         | 11.7         | 14.7          | 12.9             | Oct-05            |
| <b>Total Fixed Income</b>                         | <b>649,404,340</b>   | <b>31.7</b>       | <b>31.7</b>    | <b>0.2</b>  | <b>4.3</b>  | <b>3.2</b>  | <b>3.0</b>   | <b>2.0</b>   | <b>6.4</b>    | <b>5.2</b>       | <b>Jul-06</b>     |
| <i>BBgBarc Multiverse TR</i>                      |                      |                   |                | 0.6         | 6.5         | 7.5         | 1.8          | 2.1          | 2.5           | 3.9              | Jul-06            |
| <i>eV All Global Fixed Inc Net Rank</i>           |                      |                   |                | 75          | 85          | 81          | 64           | 76           | 14            | 39               | Jul-06            |
| <b>Cash Equivalents</b>                           | <b>89,679,516</b>    | <b>4.4</b>        | <b>13.8</b>    | <b>0.6</b>  | <b>1.8</b>  | <b>2.4</b>  | <b>1.6</b>   | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>     | <b>1.5</b>       | <b>Apr-15</b>     |
| <i>91 Day T-Bills</i>                             |                      |                   |                | 0.5         | 1.7         | 2.3         | 1.5          | 1.0          | 0.5           | 1.1              | Apr-15            |
| <b>Public Fixed Income</b>                        | <b>550,159,964</b>   | <b>26.8</b>       | <b>84.7</b>    | <b>0.1</b>  | <b>4.7</b>  | <b>3.4</b>  | <b>4.6</b>   | <b>3.3</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>5.2</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| <i>BBgBarc Multiverse TR</i>                      |                      |                   |                | 0.6         | 6.5         | 7.5         | 1.8          | 2.1          | 2.5           | 2.3              | Dec-10            |
| <i>eV All Global Fixed Inc Net Rank</i>           |                      |                   |                | 76          | 83          | 81          | 36           | 48           | --            | 24               | Dec-10            |
| <b>Short Term Core Bonds</b>                      | <b>261,582,683</b>   | <b>12.8</b>       | <b>47.5</b>    | <b>0.8</b>  | <b>3.7</b>  | <b>4.7</b>  | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>     | <b>2.5</b>       | <b>Jun-17</b>     |
| <i>BBgBarc US Treasury 1-3 Yr TR</i>              |                      |                   |                | 0.6         | 3.1         | 4.4         | 1.5          | 1.3          | 1.2           | 2.0              | Jun-17            |
| IR&M 1-3 Year Strategy                            | 261,582,683          | 12.8              | 100.0          | 0.8         | 3.7         | 4.7         | --           | --           | --            | 2.5              | Jul-17            |
| <i>BBgBarc US Treasury 1-3 Yr TR</i>              |                      |                   |                | 0.6         | 3.1         | 4.4         | 1.5          | 1.3          | 1.2           | 2.0              | Jul-17            |
| <i>eV US Short Duration Fixed Inc Net Rank</i>    |                      |                   |                | 56          | 57          | 45          | --           | --           | --            | 46               | Jul-17            |
| <b>Investment Grade Bonds</b>                     | <b>36,706,556</b>    | <b>1.8</b>        | <b>6.7</b>     |             |             |             |              |              |               |                  |                   |
| <i>BBgBarc US Aggregate TR</i>                    |                      |                   |                | 2.3         | 8.5         | 10.3        | 2.9          | 3.4          | 3.7           | 8.8              | Aug-18            |
| Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Inst             | 36,706,556           | 1.8               | 100.0          |             |             |             |              |              |               |                  |                   |
| <i>BBgBarc US Aggregate TR</i>                    |                      |                   |                | 2.3         | 8.5         | 10.3        | 2.9          | 3.4          | 3.7           | --               | Oct-19            |

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|   | Market Value<br>(\$) | % of<br>Portfolio | % of<br>Sector | QTD<br>(%)  | YTD<br>(%) | 1 Yr<br>(%) | 3 Yrs<br>(%) | 5 Yrs<br>(%) | 10 Yrs<br>(%) | Inception<br>(%) | Inception<br>Date |
|---|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Global Bonds</b>                                     | <b>66,941,579</b>    | <b>3.3</b>        | <b>12.2</b>    | <b>-1.5</b> | <b>5.1</b> | <b>3.8</b>  | <b>1.9</b>   | <b>1.8</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>2.7</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR                             |                      |                   |                | 0.7         | 6.3        | 7.6         | 1.6          | 2.0          | 2.3           | 2.1              | Dec-10            |
| eV All Global Fixed Inc Net Rank                        |                      |                   |                | 91          | 81         | 79          | 75           | 79           | --            | 67               | Dec-10            |
| Brandywine Global Fixed Income                          | 66,941,579           | 3.3               | 100.0          | -1.5        | 5.1        | 3.8         | 1.9          | 1.6          | 4.4           | 4.5              | Oct-04            |
| BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR                             |                      |                   |                | 0.7         | 6.3        | 7.6         | 1.6          | 2.0          | 2.3           | 3.6              | Oct-04            |
| eV All Global Fixed Inc Net Rank                        |                      |                   |                | 91          | 81         | 79          | 75           | 84           | 46            | 57               | Oct-04            |
| <b>Bank Loans</b>                                       | <b>80,511,192</b>    | <b>3.9</b>        | <b>14.6</b>    | <b>0.9</b>  | <b>5.9</b> | <b>2.7</b>  | <b>4.8</b>   | <b>4.1</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>4.1</b>       | <b>Jan-14</b>     |
| S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan                                 |                      |                   |                | 1.0         | 6.8        | 3.1         | 4.5          | 4.0          | --            | 3.8              | Jan-14            |
| eV US Float-Rate Bank Loan Fixed Inc Net Rank           |                      |                   |                | 68          | 75         | 61          | 10           | 29           | --            | 11               | Jan-14            |
| Loomis Sayles Senior Rate and Fixed Income              | 39,671,717           | 1.9               | 49.3           | 0.5         | 4.9        | 1.9         | 4.5          | 3.9          | --            | 4.0              | Jan-14            |
| S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan                                 |                      |                   |                | 1.0         | 6.8        | 3.1         | 4.5          | 4.0          | --            | 3.8              | Jan-14            |
| eV US Float-Rate Bank Loan Fixed Inc Net Rank           |                      |                   |                | 90          | 90         | 81          | 15           | 42           | --            | 14               | Jan-14            |
| Pacific Asset Management Corporate (Bank) Loan Strategy | 40,839,475           | 2.0               | 50.7           | 1.4         | 7.1        | 3.6         | --           | --           | --            | 4.4              | Aug-17            |
| Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan                            |                      |                   |                | 0.9         | 6.4        | 3.1         | 4.7          | 4.1          | --            | 4.1              | Aug-17            |
| eV US Float-Rate Bank Loan Fixed Inc Net Rank           |                      |                   |                | 19          | 19         | 21          | --           | --           | --            | 7                | Aug-17            |
| <b>High Yield</b>                                       | <b>83,880,156</b>    | <b>4.1</b>        | <b>15.2</b>    | <b>-0.6</b> | <b>5.7</b> | <b>-0.4</b> | <b>5.5</b>   | <b>3.2</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>6.0</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| BBgBarc Global High Yield TR                            |                      |                   |                | -0.7        | 8.8        | 5.0         | 4.8          | 4.5          | 7.4           | 6.2              | Dec-10            |
| eV Global High Yield Fixed Inc Net Rank                 |                      |                   |                | 89          | 94         | 95          | 64           | 90           | --            | 61               | Dec-10            |
| Loomis Sayles High Yield Fund                           | 83,880,156           | 4.1               | 100.0          | -0.6        | 5.7        | -0.4        | 5.5          | 3.5          | 8.0           | 8.9              | Oct-98            |
| BBgBarc Global High Yield TR                            |                      |                   |                | -0.7        | 8.8        | 5.0         | 4.8          | 4.5          | 7.4           | 8.2              | Oct-98            |
| eV Global High Yield Fixed Inc Net Rank                 |                      |                   |                | 89          | 94         | 95          | 63           | 85           | 11            | 26               | Oct-98            |
| <b>Emerging Markets Debt</b>                            | <b>20,537,798</b>    | <b>1.0</b>        | <b>3.7</b>     | <b>-2.8</b> | <b>7.0</b> | <b>6.5</b>  | <b>3.8</b>   | <b>3.3</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>3.5</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| 50% JPM EMBI/50% JPM GBI-EM                             |                      |                   |                | 0.4         | 10.4       | 10.9        | 3.9          | 3.1          | --            | 3.5              | Dec-10            |
| eV All Emg Mkts Fixed Inc Net Rank                      |                      |                   |                | 94          | 85         | 86          | 54           | 56           | --            | 58               | Dec-10            |
| Ashmore EM Blended Debt                                 | 20,537,798           | 1.0               | 100.0          | -2.8        | 7.0        | 6.5         | --           | --           | --            | 1.3              | Dec-17            |
| Ashmore Blended Debt Benchmark                          |                      |                   |                | 0.0         | 8.8        | 9.0         | 3.6          | 3.0          | 4.2           | 2.7              | Dec-17            |
| eV All Emg Mkts Fixed Inc Net Rank                      |                      |                   |                | 94          | 85         | 86          | --           | --           | --            | 67               | Dec-17            |



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|--|----------------------|-------------------|----------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| <b>Private Debt</b>                              | <b>9,564,860</b>     | <b>0.5</b>        | <b>1.5</b>     | <b>0.8</b>  | <b>2.3</b>  | <b>0.9</b>  | <b>-2.2</b>  | <b>--</b>    | <b>--</b>     | <b>-2.1</b>      | <b>Jan-16</b>     |
| <i>Barclays Global High Yield +2%</i>            |                      |                   |                | -0.2        | 10.4        | 7.1         | 6.9          | --           | --            | 9.8              | Jan-16            |
| <b>Total Real Assets</b>                         | <b>566,358,857</b>   | <b>27.6</b>       | <b>27.6</b>    | <b>-0.2</b> | <b>1.3</b>  | <b>1.2</b>  | <b>5.4</b>   | <b>-3.0</b>  | <b>--</b>     | <b>-1.8</b>      | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| <i>Total Real Assets Policy Index</i>            |                      |                   |                | 1.1         | 4.5         | 6.1         | 6.6          | 8.4          | --            | 11.2             | Dec-10            |
| <b>Real Estate</b>                               | <b>380,103,520</b>   | <b>18.5</b>       | <b>67.1</b>    | <b>-0.9</b> | <b>0.3</b>  | <b>0.9</b>  | <b>4.2</b>   | <b>-6.3</b>  | <b>-3.5</b>   | <b>3.7</b>       | <b>Mar-85</b>     |
| <i>NCREIF Property (1-quarter lagged)</i>        |                      |                   |                | 1.5         | 4.8         | 6.5         | 6.9          | 8.8          | 9.3           | 8.1              | Mar-85            |
| <b>Natural Resources</b>                         | <b>130,193,631</b>   | <b>6.3</b>        | <b>23.0</b>    | <b>1.7</b>  | <b>5.4</b>  | <b>4.3</b>  | <b>-2.0</b>  | <b>1.4</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>4.1</b>       | <b>Dec-10</b>     |
| <i>NCREIF Farmland Total Return Index 1Q Lag</i> |                      |                   |                | 0.7         | 4.3         | 5.7         | 6.3          | 8.0          | 11.1          | 11.9             | Dec-10            |
| <b>Infrastructure</b>                            | <b>56,061,706</b>    | <b>2.7</b>        | <b>9.9</b>     | <b>0.4</b>  | <b>-2.8</b> | <b>-6.0</b> | <b>16.1</b>  | <b>7.1</b>   | <b>--</b>     | <b>6.8</b>       | <b>Jul-12</b>     |
| <i>S&amp;P Global Infrastructure TR USD</i>      |                      |                   |                | 0.6         | 20.8        | 14.6        | 8.0          | 5.8          | 7.8           | 8.6              | Jul-12            |

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**Benchmark History**  
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| DPFP                    |            |   |
|-------------------------|------------|---|
| 1/1/2019                | Present    | 40% MSCI ACWI IMI Net USD / 10% MSCI Emerging Market IMI Net / 5% Cambridge Associates US All PE (1 Qtr Lag) / 12% BBgBarc US Treasury 1-3 Yr TR / 4% BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR / 4% BBgBarc Global High Yield TR / 4% BBgBarc US Aggregate TR / 4% S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan / 4% 50% JPM EMBI/50% JPM GBI-EM / 5% NCREIF Farmland Total Return Index 1Q Lag / 5% NCREIF Property (1-quarter lagged) / 3% 91 Day T-Bills   |
| 10/1/2018               | 12/31/2018 | 40% MSCI ACWI Gross / 10% MSCI Emerging Markets Gross / 5% Private Equity Custom Benchmark / 12% BBgBarc US Treasury 1-3 Yr TR / 4% BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR / 4% BBgBarc Global High Yield TR / 4% S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan / 4% BBgBarc US Aggregate TR / 4% 50% JPM EMBI/50% JPM GBI-EM / 5% Natural Resources Benchmark (Linked) / 5% NCREIF Property Index / 3% 91 Day T-Bills   |
| 4/1/2016                | 9/30/2018  | 20% MSCI ACWI Gross / 5% MSCI Emerging Markets Gross / 5% Private Equity Custom Benchmark / 2% BBgBarc US Treasury 1-3 Yr TR / 3% BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR / 5% BBgBarc Global High Yield TR / 6% S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan / 6% HFRI RV: FI (50/50-ABS/Corp) / 6% 50% JPM EMBI/50% JPM GBI-EM / 5% Barclays Global High Yield +2% / 5% 60% MSCI ACWI/40% Barclays Global Agg / 3% 60% MSCI ACWI/40% Barclays Global Agg / 2% HFRX Absolute Return Index / 5% Natural Resources Benchmark (Linked) / 5% S&P Global Infrastructure TR USD / 12% NCREIF Property Index / 3% CPI + 5% (Seasonally Adjusted) / 2% 91 Day T-Bills |
| 4/1/2014                | 3/31/2016  | 15% MSCI ACWI / 15% S&P 500 + 2% / 10% Total Global Natural Resources Custom Benchmark / 15% BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR / 20% CPI + 5% (Seasonally Adjusted) / 10% CPI + 5% (Seasonally Adjusted) / 15% NCREIF Property Index  |
| 1/1/2014                | 3/31/2014  | 15% MSCI ACWI / 15% Private Markets / 10% Total Global Natural Resources Custom Benchmark / 15% BBgBarc Global Aggregate TR / 20% CPI + 5% (Seasonally Adjusted) / 10% Infrastructure / 15% Real Estate   |
| Ashmore EM Blended Debt |            |   |
| 12/1/2017               | Present    | 50% JP Morgan EMBI Global Diversified / 25% JPM ELMI+ TR USD / 25% JP Morgan GBI EM Global Diversified TR USD   |
| Total Real Assets       |            |   |
| 12/31/2010              | Present    | 50% NCREIF Property (1-quarter lagged) / 50% NCREIF Farmland Total Return Index 1Q Lag  |



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**Duration:** Measure of the sensitivity of the price of a bond to a change in its yield to maturity. Duration summarizes, in a single number, the characteristics that cause bond prices to change in response to a change in interest rates. For example, the price of a bond with a duration of three years will rise by approximately 3% for each 1% decrease in its yield to maturity. Conversely, the price will decrease 3% for each 1% increase in the bond's yield. Price changes for two different bonds can be compared using duration. A bond with a duration of six years will exhibit twice the percentage price change of a bond with a three-year duration. The actual calculation of a bond's duration is somewhat complicated, but the idea behind the calculation is straightforward. The first step is to measure the time interval until receipt for each cash flow (coupon and principal payments) from a bond. The second step is to compute a weighted average of these time intervals. Each time interval is measured by the present value of that cash flow. This weighted average is the duration of the bond measured in years.

**Information Ratio:** This statistic is a measure of the consistency of a portfolio's performance relative to a benchmark. It is calculated by subtracting the benchmark return from the portfolio return (excess return), and dividing the resulting excess return by the standard deviation (volatility) of this excess return. A positive information ratio indicates outperformance versus the benchmark, and the higher the information ratio, the more consistent the outperformance.

**Jensen's Alpha:** A measure of the average return of a portfolio or investment in excess of what is predicted by its beta or "market" risk. Portfolio Return- [Risk Free Rate+Beta\*(market return-Risk Free Rate)].

**Market Capitalization:** For a firm, market capitalization is the total market value of outstanding common stock. For a portfolio, market capitalization is the sum of the capitalization of each company weighted by the ratio of holdings in that company to total portfolio holdings; thus it is a weighted-average capitalization. Meketa Investment Group considers the largest 65% of the broad domestic equity market as large capitalization, the next 25% of the market as medium capitalization, and the smallest 10% of stocks as small capitalization.

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**Maturity:** The date on which a loan, bond, mortgage, or other debt/security becomes due and is to be paid off.

**Prepayment Risk:** The risk that prepayments will increase (homeowners will prepay all or part of their mortgage) when mortgage interest rates decline; hence, investors' monies will be returned to them in a lower interest rate environment. Also, the risk that prepayments will slow down when mortgage interest rates rise; hence, investors will not have as much money as previously anticipated in a higher interest rate environment. A prepayment is any payment in excess of the scheduled mortgage payment.

**Price-Book Value (P/B) Ratio:** The current market price of a stock divided by its book value per share. Meketa Investment Group calculates P/B as the current price divided by Compustat's quarterly common equity. Common equity includes common stock, capital surplus, retained earnings, and treasury stock adjusted for both common and nonredeemable preferred stock. Similar to high P/E stocks, stocks with high P/B's tend to be riskier investments.

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**Standard Deviation:** A measure of the total risk of an asset or a portfolio. Standard deviation measures the dispersion of a set of numbers around a central point (e.g., the average return). If the standard deviation is small, the distribution is concentrated within a narrow range of values. For a normal distribution, about two thirds of the observations will fall within one standard deviation of the mean, and 95% of the observations will fall within two standard deviations of the mean.

**STIF Account:** Short-term investment fund at a custodian bank that invests in cash-equivalent instruments. It is generally used to safely invest the excess cash held by portfolio managers.

**Style:** The description of the type of approach and strategy utilized by an investment manager to manage funds. For example, the style for equities is determined by portfolio characteristics such as price-to-book value, price-to-earnings ratio, and dividend yield. Equity styles include growth, value, and core.

**Yield to Maturity:** The yield, or return, provided by a bond to its maturity date; determined by a mathematical process, usually requiring the use of a "basis book." For example, a 5% bond pays \$5 a year interest on each \$100 par value. To figure its current yield, divide \$5 by \$95—the market price of the bond—and you get 5.26%. Assume that the same bond is due to mature in five years. On the maturity date, the issuer is pledged to pay \$100 for the bond that can be bought now for \$95. In other words, the bond is selling at a discount of 5% below par value. To figure yield to maturity, a simple and approximate method is to divide 5% by the five years to maturity, which equals 1% pro rata yearly. Add that 1% to the 5.26% current yield, and the yield to maturity is roughly 6.26%.

$$\frac{5\% \text{ (discount)}}{5 \text{ (yrs. to maturity)}} = 1\% \text{ pro rata, plus } 5.26\% \text{ (current yield)} = 6.26\% \text{ (yield to maturity)}$$

Sources: [Investment Terminology](#), International Foundation of Employee Benefit Plans, 1999.  
[The Handbook of Fixed Income Securities](#), Fabozzi, Frank J., 1991.





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## Dallas Police & Fire Pension System

Private Markets Review  
As of June 30, 2019



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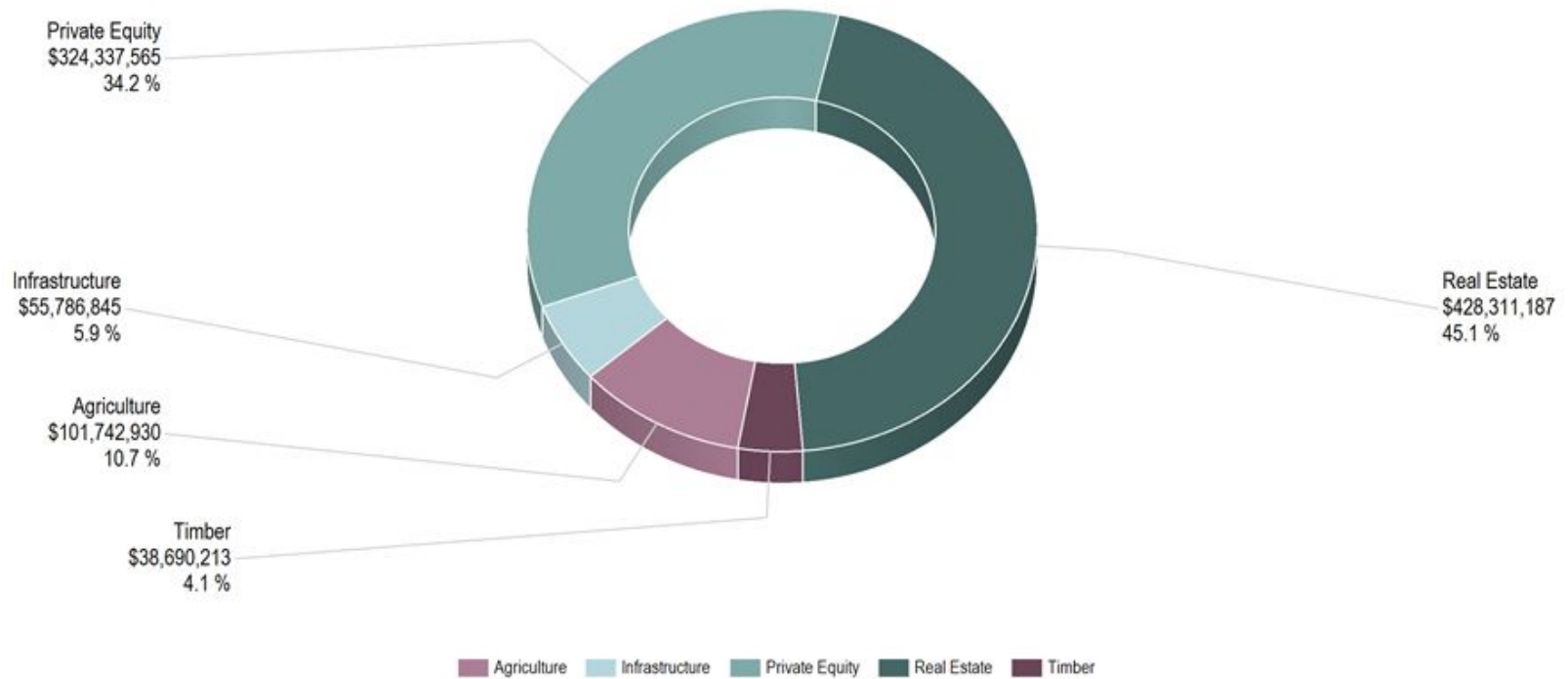
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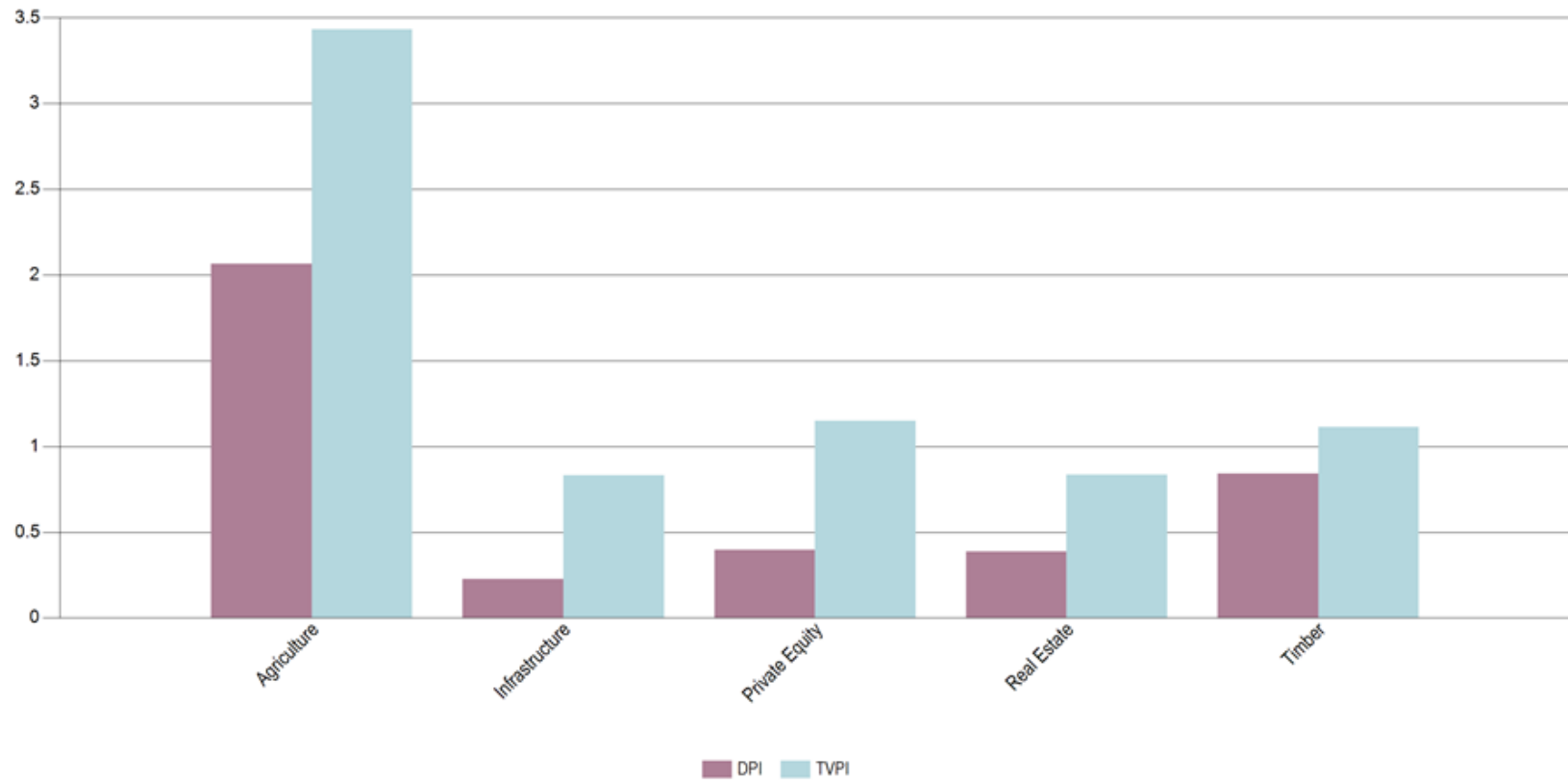
Private Market Investments as of June 30, 2019  
Market Value Allocation by Asset Class



1. Private Equity is composed of Private Equity and Private Debt



Private Market Investments as of June 30, 2019  
DPI and TVPI by Asset Class



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Private Markets Review

As of June 30, 2019

| Private Market Investments Overview |                      |                      |                            |                    |                      |                   |             |             |             |             |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Active Funds                        | Commitments          |                      | Distributions & Valuations |                    |                      |                   | Performance |             |             |             |
| Asset Class                         | Commitment (\$)      | Paid In Capital (\$) | Distributions (\$)         | Valuation (\$)     | Total Value (\$)     | Gain/Loss (\$)    | Call Ratio  | DPI         | TVPI        | IRR (%)     |
| Total Agriculture                   | 74,420,001           | 74,420,001           | 153,803,328                | 101,742,930        | 255,546,258          | 181,126,257       | 1.00        | 2.07        | 3.43        | 15.09       |
| Total Infrastructure                | 97,000,000           | 92,482,192           | 21,348,653                 | 55,786,845         | 77,135,498           | -15,346,694       | 0.95        | 0.23        | 0.83        | -3.52       |
| Total Private Equity                | 414,034,369          | 443,969,452          | 171,614,966                | 324,337,565        | 495,952,531          | 51,983,078        | 1.07        | 0.39        | 1.12        | 1.92        |
| Total Real Estate                   | 963,753,204          | 953,103,683          | 367,956,139                | 428,311,187        | 796,267,326          | -156,836,358      | 0.99        | 0.39        | 0.84        | -2.63       |
| Total Timber                        | 141,765,343          | 141,765,343          | 119,030,209                | 38,690,213         | 157,720,422          | 15,955,079        | 1.00        | 0.84        | 1.11        | 1.97        |
| <b>Total</b>                        | <b>1,690,972,917</b> | <b>1,705,740,671</b> | <b>833,753,294</b>         | <b>948,868,740</b> | <b>1,782,622,034</b> | <b>76,881,362</b> | <b>1.01</b> | <b>0.49</b> | <b>1.05</b> | <b>0.72</b> |

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## Active Funds with Unfunded Commitments Overview

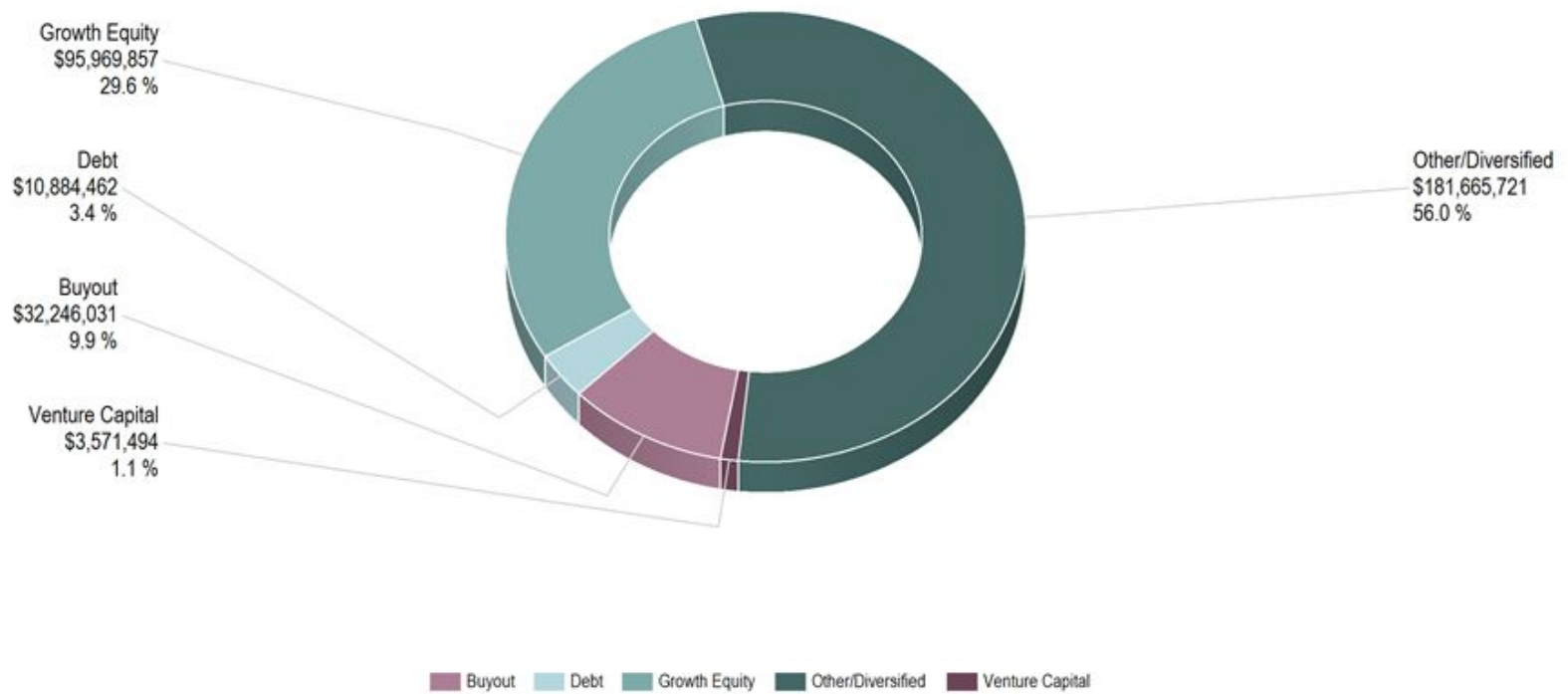
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| Active Funds with Unfunded Commitments    |              |                    |                      |                          |
|---|--------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Active Funds                              |              | Commitments        |                      |                          |
| Investment Name                           | Vintage Year | Commitment (\$)    | Paid In Capital (\$) | Unfunded Commitment (\$) |
| <b>Infrastructure</b>                     |              |                    |                      |                          |
| TRG AIRRO                                 | 2008         | 37,000,000         | 36,763,471           | 3,588,496                |
| TRG AIRRO II                              | 2013         | 10,000,000         | 7,133,745            | 2,453,943                |
| JPM Maritime Fund, LP                     | 2009         | 50,000,000         | 48,584,975           | 1,365,941                |
| <b>Total Infrastructure</b>               |              | <b>97,000,000</b>  | <b>92,482,192</b>    | <b>7,408,380</b>         |
| <b>Private Equity</b>                     |              |                    |                      |                          |
| Huff Energy Fund LP                       | 2006         | 100,000,000        | 98,932,684           | 119,979                  |
| Industry Ventures Partnership IV          | 2016         | 5,000,000          | 3,200,000            | 1,800,000                |
| Lone Star Growth Capital                  | 2006         | 16,000,000         | 26,560,000           | 2,240,000                |
| Riverstone Credit Partners LP             | 2016         | 10,000,000         | 12,242,390           | 1,510,021                |
| Yellowstone Capital                       | 2008         | 5,283,254          | 5,112,307            | 170,947                  |
| <b>Total Private Equity</b>               |              | <b>136,283,254</b> | <b>146,047,381</b>   | <b>5,840,947</b>         |
| <b>Real Estate</b>                        |              |                    |                      |                          |
| Hearthstone MS II Homebuilding Investors  | 1999         | 10,000,000         | 7,973,058            | 1,008,131                |
| Hearthstone MS III Homebuilding Investors | 2003         | 10,000,000         | 1,221,446            | 1,278,554                |
| <b>Total Real Estate</b>                  |              | <b>20,000,000</b>  | <b>9,194,504</b>     | <b>2,286,685</b>         |
| <b>Total</b>                              |              | <b>253,283,254</b> | <b>247,724,077</b>   | <b>15,536,012</b>        |

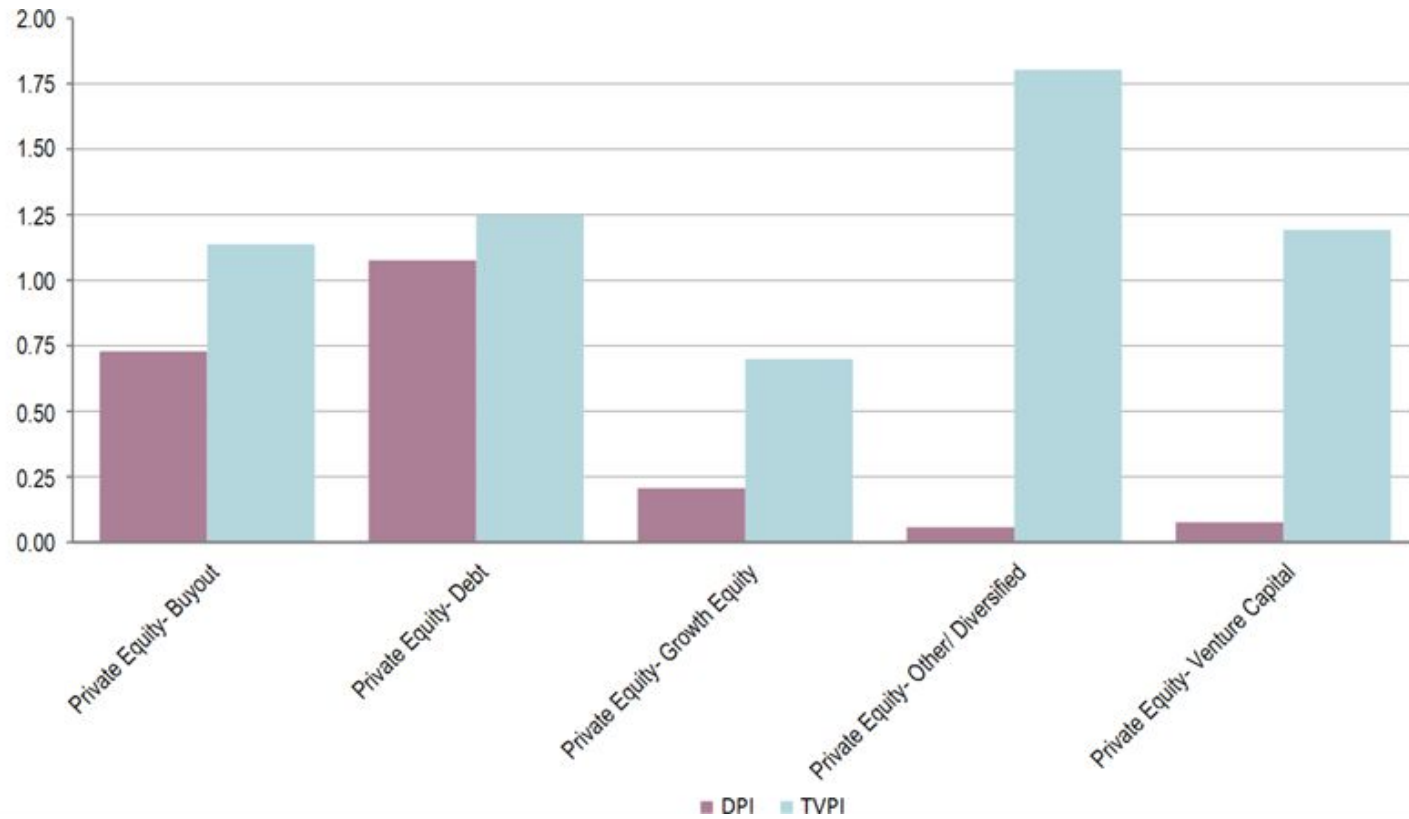
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3. Lone Star valuations as directed by Dallas Police and Fire investment staff



Private Equity and Debt Investments as of June 30, 2019  
Market Value Allocation by Strategy



Private Equity and Debt Investments as of June 30, 2019  
DPI and TVPI by Strategy



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Private Equity and Debt

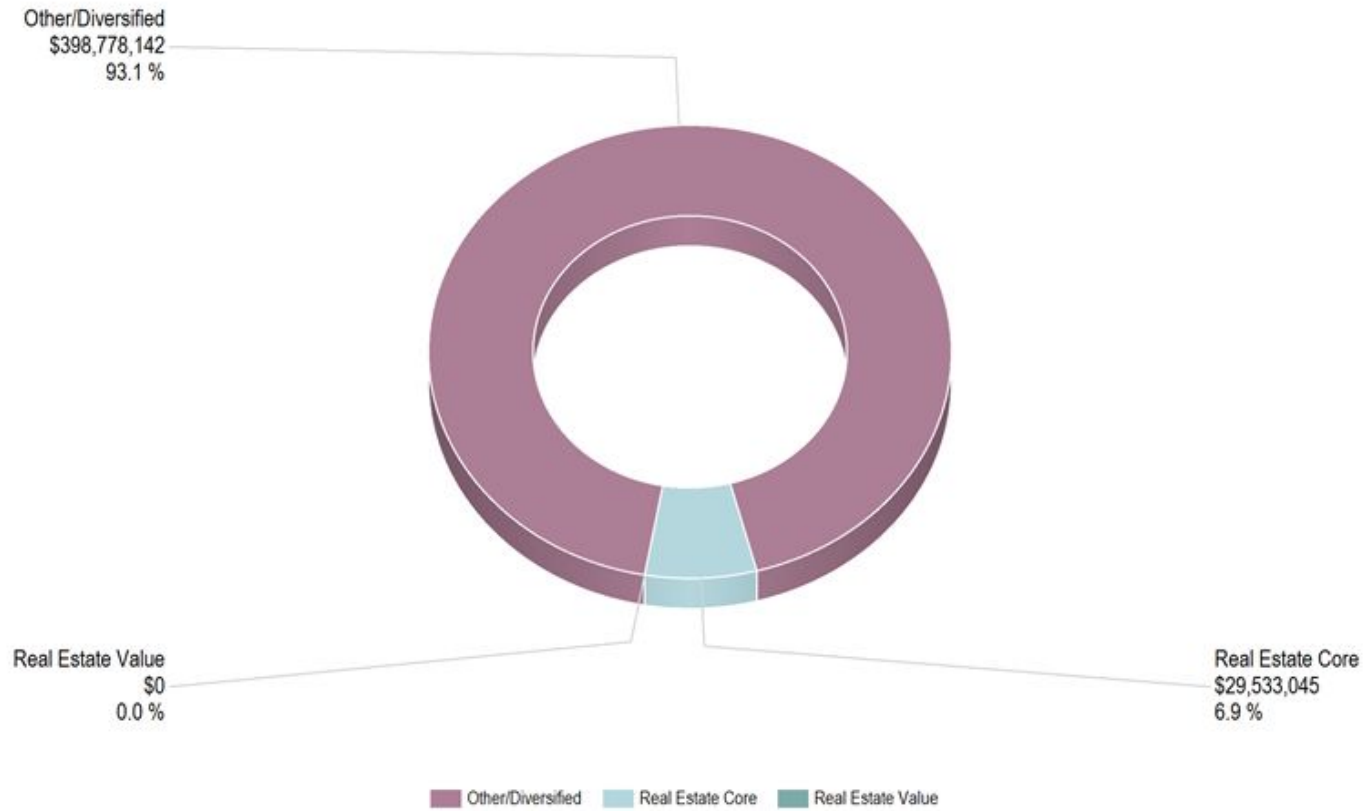
As of June 30, 2019

| Private Equity and Debt Investments Overview |              |                    |                      |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
|--|--------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| Active Funds                                 |              | Commitments        |                      | Distributions & Valuations |                    |                    |                    | Performance |             |             |               |
| Investment Name                              | Vintage Year | Commitment (\$)    | Paid In Capital (\$) | Distributions (\$)         | Valuation (\$)     | Total Value (\$)   | Gain/Loss (\$)     | Call Ratio  | DPI         | TVPI        | IRR (%)       |
| <b>Buyout</b>                                |              |                    |                      |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
| Huff Alternative Fund                        | 2000         | 66,795,718         | 78,818,394           | 57,386,716                 | 32,246,031         | 89,632,747         | 10,814,353         | 1.18        | 0.73        | 1.14        | 1.61          |
| <b>Total Buyout</b>                          |              | <b>66,795,718</b>  | <b>78,818,394</b>    | <b>57,386,716</b>          | <b>32,246,031</b>  | <b>89,632,747</b>  | <b>10,814,353</b>  | <b>1.18</b> | <b>0.73</b> | <b>1.14</b> | <b>1.61</b>   |
| <b>Debt</b>                                  |              |                    |                      |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
| Highland Crusader Fund                       | 2003         | 50,955,397         | 50,955,397           | 62,263,032                 | 2,464,559          | 64,727,591         | 13,772,194         | 1.00        | 1.22        | 1.27        | 4.19          |
| Riverstone Credit Partners LP                | 2016         | 10,000,000         | 12,242,390           | 5,707,992                  | 8,419,903          | 14,127,895         | 1,885,505          | 1.22        | 0.47        | 1.15        | 9.85          |
| <b>Total Debt</b>                            |              | <b>60,955,397</b>  | <b>63,197,787</b>    | <b>67,971,024</b>          | <b>10,884,462</b>  | <b>78,855,486</b>  | <b>15,657,699</b>  | <b>1.04</b> | <b>1.08</b> | <b>1.25</b> | <b>4.42</b>   |
| <b>Growth Equity</b>                         |              |                    |                      |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
| Hudson Clean Energy                          | 2009         | 25,000,000         | 24,994,470           | 4,688,958                  | 2,885,789          | 7,574,747          | -17,419,723        | 1.00        | 0.19        | 0.30        | -17.93        |
| Lone Star CRA                                | 2008         | 50,000,000         | 57,956,053           | 12,928,698                 | 59,026,786         | 71,955,484         | 13,999,431         | 1.16        | 0.22        | 1.24        | 7.99          |
| Lone Star Growth Capital                     | 2006         | 16,000,000         | 26,560,000           | 12,800,000                 | 13,266,322         | 26,066,322         | -493,678           | 1.66        | 0.48        | 0.98        | -0.59         |
| Lone Star Opportunities V                    | 2012         | 75,000,000         | 75,000,000           | 531,444                    | 19,291,765         | 19,823,209         | -55,176,791        | 1.00        | 0.01        | 0.26        | -41.89        |
| North Texas Opportunity Fund                 | 2000         | 10,000,000         | 10,000,000           | 9,127,239                  | 1,499,195          | 10,626,434         | 626,434            | 1.00        | 0.91        | 1.06        | 0.69          |
| <b>Total Growth Equity</b>                   |              | <b>176,000,000</b> | <b>194,510,523</b>   | <b>40,076,339</b>          | <b>95,969,857</b>  | <b>136,046,196</b> | <b>-58,464,327</b> | <b>1.11</b> | <b>0.21</b> | <b>0.70</b> | <b>-12.61</b> |
| <b>Other/Diversified</b>                     |              |                    |                      |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
| Huff Energy Fund LP                          | 2006         | 100,000,000        | 98,932,684           | 4,477,394                  | 181,665,721        | 186,143,115        | 87,210,431         | 0.99        | 0.05        | 1.88        | 6.92          |
| Yellowstone Capital                          | 2008         | 5,283,254          | 5,112,307            | 1,458,572                  | 0                  | 1,458,572          | -3,653,735         | 0.97        | 0.29        | 0.29        | -32.45        |
| <b>Total Other/Diversified</b>               |              | <b>105,283,254</b> | <b>104,044,991</b>   | <b>5,935,966</b>           | <b>181,665,721</b> | <b>187,601,687</b> | <b>83,556,696</b>  | <b>0.99</b> | <b>0.06</b> | <b>1.80</b> | <b>6.50</b>   |
| <b>Venture Capital</b>                       |              |                    |                      |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
| Industry Ventures Partnership IV             | 2016         | 5,000,000          | 3,200,000            | 244,921                    | 3,571,494          | 3,816,415          | 616,415            | 0.64        | 0.08        | 1.19        | 14.34         |
| <b>Total Venture Capital</b>                 |              | <b>5,000,000</b>   | <b>3,200,000</b>     | <b>244,921</b>             | <b>3,571,494</b>   | <b>3,816,415</b>   | <b>616,415</b>     | <b>0.64</b> | <b>0.08</b> | <b>1.19</b> | <b>14.34</b>  |
| <b>Unclassified</b>                          |              |                    |                      |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
| Miscellaneous Private Equity Expenses        | 2016         |                    | 197,758              |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
| <b>Total Unclassified</b>                    |              |                    | <b>197,758</b>       |                            |                    |                    |                    |             |             |             |               |
| <b>Total</b>                                 |              | <b>414,034,369</b> | <b>443,969,452</b>   | <b>171,614,966</b>         | <b>324,337,565</b> | <b>495,952,531</b> | <b>51,983,078</b>  | <b>1.07</b> | <b>0.39</b> | <b>1.12</b> | <b>1.92</b>   |

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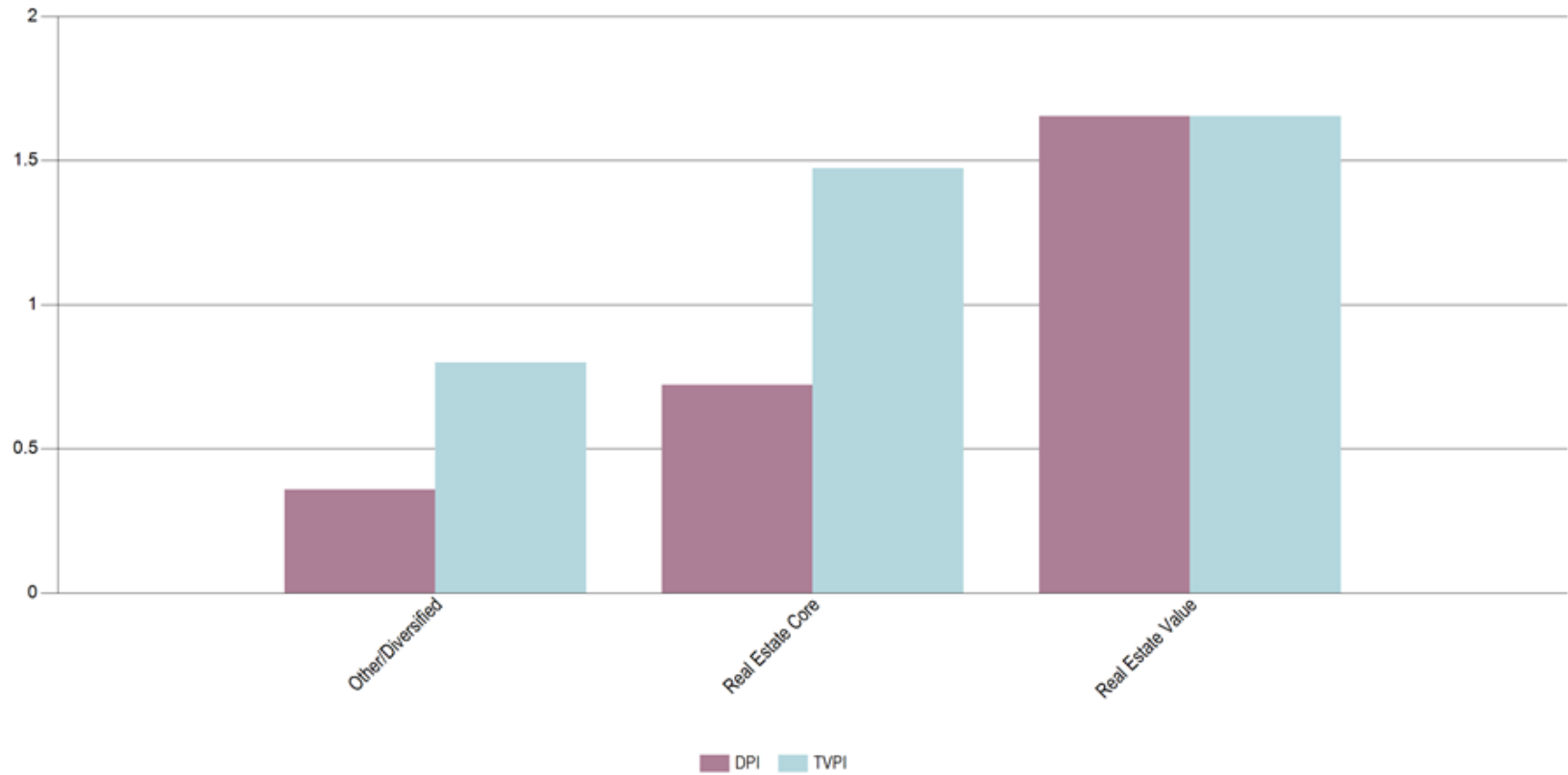
Real Estate Investments as of June 30, 2019  
Market Value Allocation by Strategy



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Real Estate Investments as of June 30, 2019  
DPI and TVPI Call Ratio by Strategy



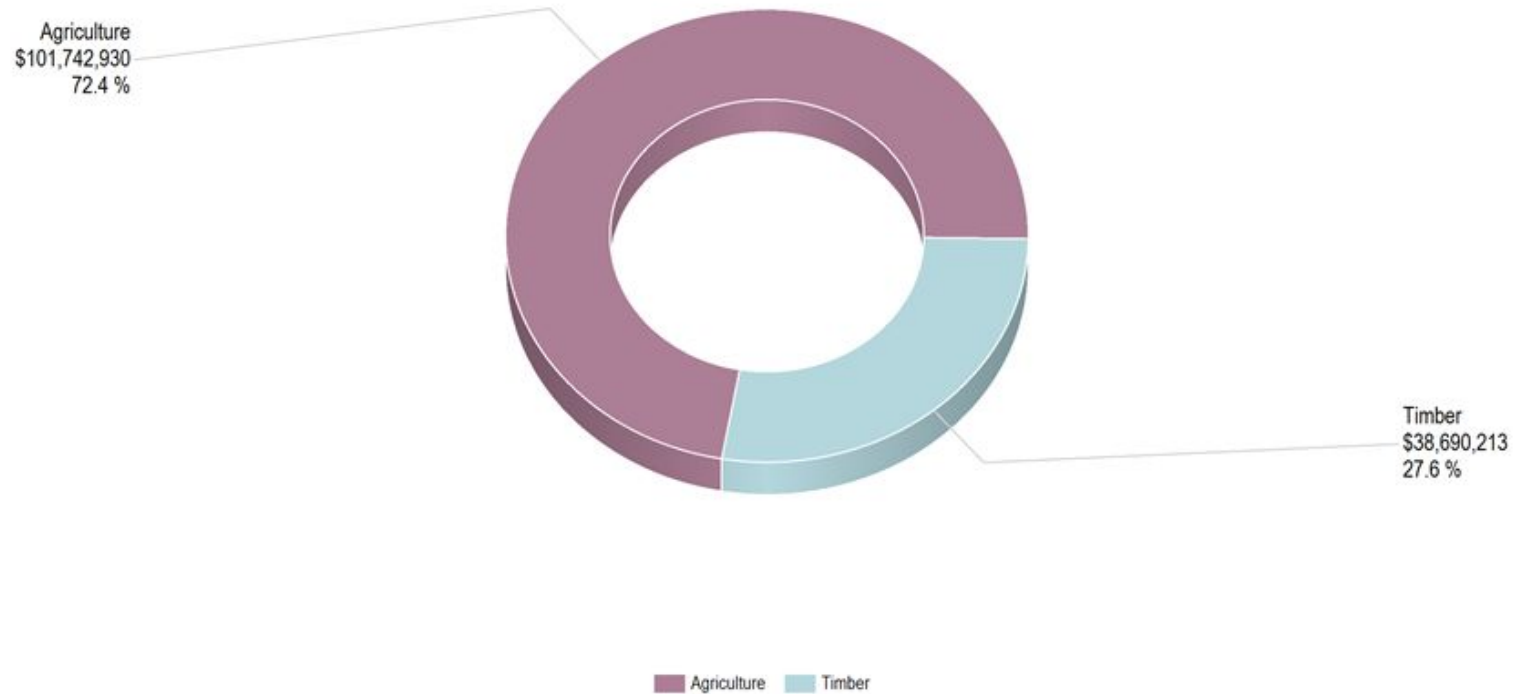
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| Real Estate Investments Overview |                 |                      |                    |                |                  |                |             |      |      |         |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|-------------|------|------|---------|
| Active Funds                     | Commitments     |                      | Valuations         |                |                  |                | Performance |      |      |         |
| Investment Name                  | Commitment (\$) | Paid In Capital (\$) | Distributions (\$) | Valuation (\$) | Total Value (\$) | Gain/Loss (\$) | Call Ratio  | DPI  | TVPI | IRR (%) |
| <b>Total Other/Diversified</b>   | 904,387,008     | 904,387,008          | 323,674,789        | 398,778,142    | 722,452,931      | -181,934,077   | 1.00        | 0.36 | 0.80 | -3.20   |
| <b>Real Estate Core</b>          |                 |                      |                    |                |                  |                |             |      |      |         |
| <b>Total Real Estate Core</b>    | 39,366,196      | 39,366,196           | 28,406,265         | 29,533,045     | 57,939,310       | 18,573,114     | 1.00        | 0.72 | 1.47 | 5.79    |
| <b>Real Estate Value</b>         |                 |                      |                    |                |                  |                |             |      |      |         |
| <b>Total Real Estate Value</b>   | 20,000,000      | 9,194,504            | 15,206,576         | 0              | 15,206,576       | 6,012,072      | 0.46        | 1.65 | 1.65 | 25.93   |
| <b>Total</b>                     | 963,753,204     | 953,103,683          | 367,956,139        | 428,311,187    | 796,267,326      | -156,836,358   | 0.99        | 0.39 | 0.84 | -2.63   |

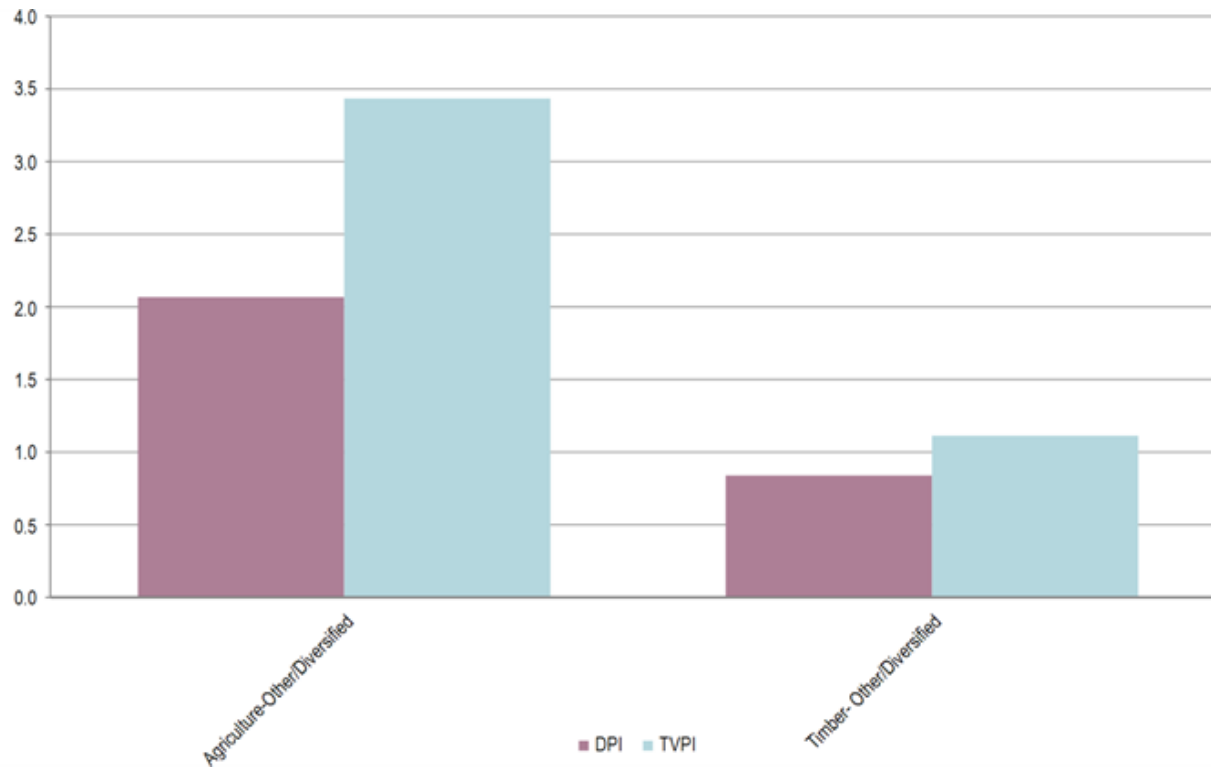
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Natural Resources Investments as of June 30, 2019  
Market Value Allocation by Asset Class



Natural Resource Investments as of June 30, 2019  
DPI and TVPI by Strategy



1. Agriculture 'Other/Diversified' is composed of permanent and row crops exposure.
2. Timber 'Other/Diversified' is composed of domestic and global timber exposure.
3. Private markets performance reflected is composed of active investments only

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## Natural Resources

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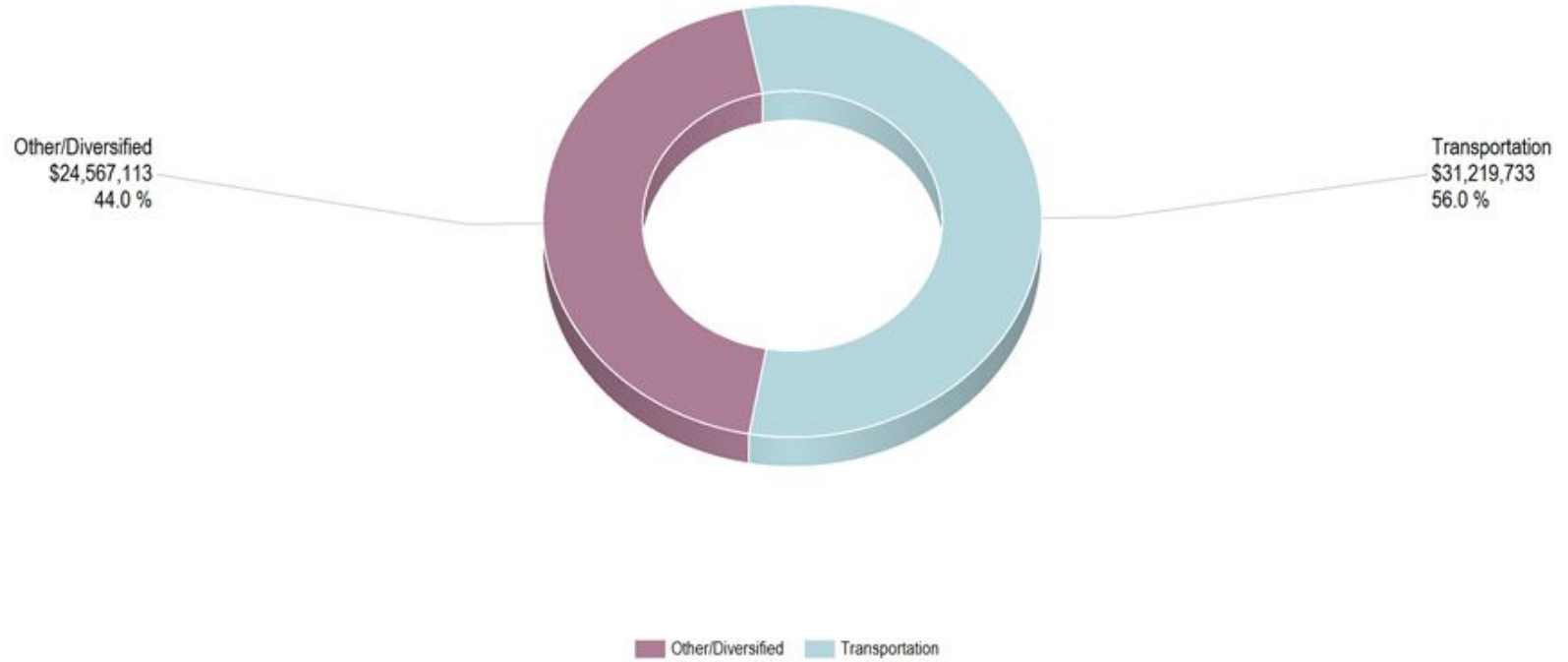
| Natural Resource Investments Overview |              |                    |                      |                    |                    |                    |                           |             |             |             |              |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Active Funds                          |              | Commitments        |                      | Valuations         |                    |                    |                           | Performance |             |             |              |
| Investment Name                       | Vintage Year | Commitment (\$)    | Paid In Capital (\$) | Distributions (\$) | Valuation (\$)     | Total Value (\$)   | Unrealized Gain/Loss (\$) | Call Ratio  | DPI         | TVPI        | IRR (%)      |
| <b>Agriculture</b>                    |              |                    |                      |                    |                    |                    |                           |             |             |             |              |
| Hancock Agricultural                  | 1998         | 74,420,001         | 74,420,001           | 153,803,328        | 101,742,930        | 255,546,258        | 181,126,257               | 1.00        | 2.07        | 3.43        | 15.09        |
| <b>Total Agriculture</b>              |              | <b>74,420,001</b>  | <b>74,420,001</b>    | <b>153,803,328</b> | <b>101,742,930</b> | <b>255,546,258</b> | <b>181,126,257</b>        | <b>1.00</b> | <b>2.07</b> | <b>3.43</b> | <b>15.09</b> |
| <b>Timber</b>                         |              |                    |                      |                    |                    |                    |                           |             |             |             |              |
| BTG Pactual                           | 2006         | 82,115,647         | 82,115,647           | 18,300,000         | 29,982,683         | 48,282,683         | -33,832,964               | 1.00        | 0.22        | 0.59        | -7.74        |
| Forest Investment Associates          | 1992         | 59,649,696         | 59,649,696           | 100,730,209        | 8,707,530          | 109,437,739        | 49,788,043                | 1.00        | 1.69        | 1.83        | 7.72         |
| <b>Total Timber</b>                   |              | <b>141,635,229</b> | <b>141,635,229</b>   | <b>119,030,209</b> | <b>38,690,213</b>  | <b>157,720,422</b> | <b>15,955,079</b>         | <b>1.00</b> | <b>0.84</b> | <b>1.11</b> | <b>1.97</b>  |
| <b>Total</b>                          |              | <b>216,185,344</b> | <b>216,185,344</b>   | <b>272,833,537</b> | <b>140,433,143</b> | <b>413,266,680</b> | <b>197,081,336</b>        | <b>1.00</b> | <b>1.26</b> | <b>1.91</b> | <b>9.02</b>  |

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Infrastructure Investments as of June 30, 2019  
Market Value Allocation by Strategy

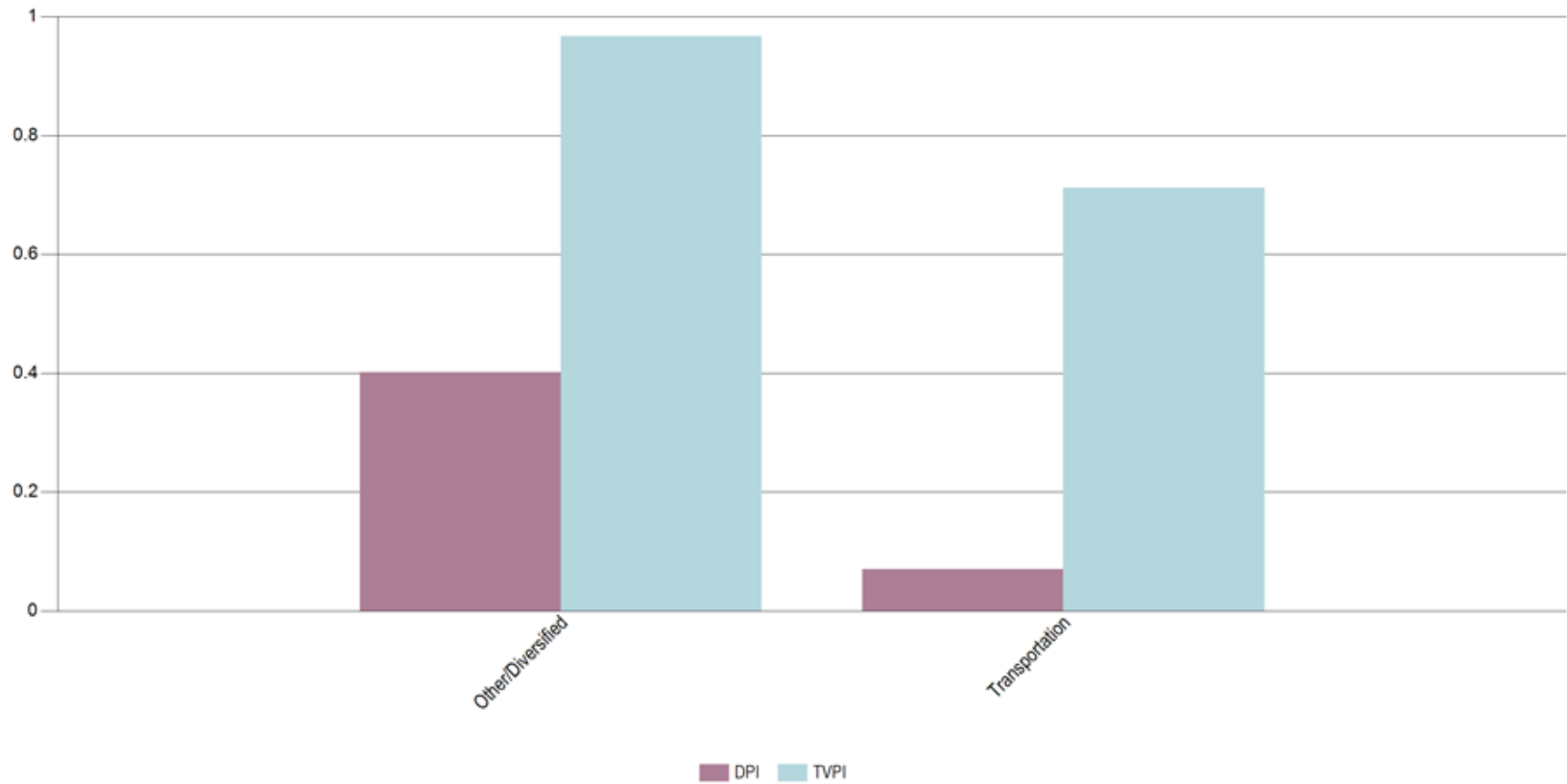


1. 'Other/Diversified' is composed of various operating and developing infrastructure project exposure





Infrastructure Investments as of June 30, 2019  
DPI and TVPI by Strategy



1. Other/Diversified' is composed of various operating and developing infrastructure project exposure  
2. Private markets performance reflected is composed of active investments only



| Infrastructure Investments Overview |              |                   |                      |                            |                   |                   |                    |             |             |             |              |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Active Funds                        |              | Commitments       |                      | Distributions & Valuations |                   |                   |                    | Performance |             |             |              |
| Investment Name                     | Vintage Year | Commitment (\$)   | Paid In Capital (\$) | Distributions (\$)         | Valuation (\$)    | Total Value (\$)  | Gain/Loss (\$)     | Call Ratio  | DPI         | TVPI        | IRR (%)      |
| <b>Infrastructure</b>               |              |                   |                      |                            |                   |                   |                    |             |             |             |              |
| TRG AIRRO                           | 2008         | 37,000,000        | 36,763,471           | 17,873,234                 | 19,912,900        | 37,786,134        | 1,022,663          | 0.99        | 0.49        | 1.03        | 0.43         |
| TRG AIRRO II                        | 2013         | 10,000,000        | 7,133,745            | 58,731                     | 4,654,212         | 4,712,943         | -2,420,802         | 0.71        | 0.01        | 0.66        | -7.37        |
| JPM Maritime Fund, LP               | 2009         | 50,000,000        | 48,584,975           | 3,416,688                  | 31,219,733        | 34,636,421        | -13,948,555        | 0.97        | 0.07        | 0.71        | -7.55        |
| <b>Total Infrastructure</b>         |              | <b>97,000,000</b> | <b>92,482,192</b>    | <b>21,348,653</b>          | <b>55,786,845</b> | <b>77,135,498</b> | <b>-15,346,694</b> | <b>0.95</b> | <b>0.23</b> | <b>0.83</b> | <b>-3.52</b> |

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**Private Markets Review  
List of Completed Funds**

## Dallas Police &amp; Fire Pension System

## Private Markets Review

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| Total Real Assets Program                    |              |                    |                    |                      |                |                           |           |                    |                   |             |             |         |
|--|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------------|---------|
| Completed Funds                              | Vintage Year | Commitment Amount  | Paid in Capital    | Capital to be Funded | Addnl Fees     | Cummulative Distributions | Valuation | Total Value        | Gain/Loss         | DPI Ratio   | TVPI Ratio  | IRR     |
| AEW Creative Holdings                        | 2007         | 13,035,849         | 13,035,849         | 0                    | 0              | 0                         | 0         | 0                  | -13,035,849       | 0.00        | 0.00        | N/A     |
| BTG U.S. Timberland                          | 2007         | 22,230,000         | 22,230,000         | 0                    | 0              | 33,065,920                | 0         | 33,065,920         | 10,835,920        | 1.49        | 1.49        | 4.82%   |
| CDK Multifamily I                            | 2014         | 10,559,876         | 10,617,376         | 0                    | 0              | 10,025,434                | 0         | 10,025,434         | -591,942          | 0.94        | 0.94        | -1.99%  |
| Clarion 1210 South Lamar                     | 2014         | 10,500,000         | 10,201,489         | 0                    | 0              | 13,214,065                | 0         | 13,214,065         | 3,012,576         | 1.30        | 1.30        | 12.85%  |
| Clarion 4100 Harry Hines Land                | 2006         | 3,088,810          | 3,092,788          | 0                    | 0              | 3,641,946                 | 0         | 3,641,946          | 549,158           | 1.18        | 1.18        | 1.69%   |
| Clarion Beat Lofts                           | 2005         | 8,729,783          | 8,730,183          | 0                    | 0              | 1,137,817                 | 0         | 1,137,817          | -7,592,366        | 0.13        | 0.13        | -30.76% |
| Clarion Bryan Street Lofts                   | 2005         | 5,112,048          | 5,112,048          | 0                    | 0              | 4,163,659                 | 0         | 4,163,659          | -948,389          | 0.81        | 0.81        | -2.23%  |
| Clarion Four Leaf                            | 2005         | 16,892,767         | 16,892,767         | 0                    | 0              | 3,733,148                 | 0         | 3,733,148          | -13,159,619       | 0.22        | 0.22        | -39.69% |
| Hearthstone Dry Creek                        | 2005         | 52,303,043         | 52,303,043         | 0                    | 0              | 8,973,059                 | 0         | 8,973,059          | -43,329,984       | 0.17        | 0.17        | -38.78% |
| Hearthstone Nampa                            | 2006         | 11,666,284         | 11,666,284         | 0                    | 0              | 2,562,654                 | 0         | 2,562,654          | -9,103,630        | 0.22        | 0.22        | -31.90% |
| JP Morgan Infrastructure Investments Fund    | 2007         | 37,000,000         | 37,000,000         | 0                    | -5,658         | 44,302,131                | 0         | 44,302,131         | 7,307,789         | 1.20        | 1.20        | 2.48%   |
| L&B Realty Advisors Beach Walk               | 2006         | 33,013,796         | 33,013,796         | 0                    | 0              | 36,752,690                | 0         | 36,752,690         | 3,738,894         | 1.11        | 1.11        | 2.19%   |
| L&B Realty Advisors KO Olina                 | 2008         | 28,609,658         | 28,609,658         | 0                    | 0              | 30,529,136                | 0         | 30,529,136         | 1,919,478         | 1.07        | 1.07        | 1.11%   |
| L&B Realty Advisors West Bay Villas          | 2007         | 8,712,411          | 8,712,411          | 0                    | 0              | 3,785,480                 | 0         | 3,785,480          | -4,926,931        | 0.43        | 0.43        | -8.29%  |
| LBJ Infrastructure Group Holdings, LLC (LBJ) | 2009         | 50,000,000         | 44,346,229         | 0                    | 0              | 77,892,000                | 0         | 77,892,000         | 33,545,771        | 1.76        | 1.76        | 12.77%  |
| Lone Star Fund III (U.S.), L.P.              | 2000         | 20,000,000         | 19,827,576         | 0                    | 0              | 40,701,250                | 0         | 40,701,250         | 20,873,674        | 2.05        | 2.05        | 31.88%  |
| Lone Star Fund IV (U.S.), L.P.               | 2001         | 20,000,000         | 19,045,866         | 0                    | 0              | 43,898,442                | 0         | 43,898,442         | 24,852,576        | 2.30        | 2.30        | 30.15%  |
| Lone Star Fund V (U.S.), L.P.                | 2005         | 22,500,000         | 22,275,229         | 0                    | 0              | 20,605,895                | 0         | 20,605,895         | -1,669,334        | 0.93        | 0.93        | -1.41%  |
| Lone Star Fund VI (U.S.), L.P.               | 2008         | 25,000,000         | 20,034,018         | 0                    | 0              | 31,712,968                | 0         | 31,712,968         | 11,678,950        | 1.58        | 1.58        | 21.76%  |
| Lone Star Real Estate Fund (U.S.), L.P.      | 2008         | 25,000,000         | 20,743,769         | 0                    | 0              | 25,403,707                | 0         | 25,403,707         | 4,659,938         | 1.22        | 1.22        | 5.15%   |
| Lone Star Real Estate Fund II                | 2011         | 25,000,000         | 22,169,907         | 0                    | 0              | 32,789,371                | 0         | 32,789,371         | 10,619,464        | 1.48        | 1.48        | 24.73%  |
| Lone Star Real Estate Fund III               | 2014         | 25,000,000         | 23,490,784         | 0                    | 0              | 26,638,028                | 0         | 26,638,028         | 3,147,244         | 1.13        | 1.13        | 8.20%   |
| M&G Real Estate Debt Fund II                 | 2013         | 29,808,841         | 21,523,663         | 0                    | 0              | 17,088,107                | 0         | 17,088,107         | -4,435,556        | 0.79        | 0.79        | -15.04% |
| NTE 3a-3b                                    | 2012         | 50,000,000         | 23,794,565         | 0                    | 0              | 28,186,978                | 0         | 28,186,978         | 4,392,413         | 1.18        | 1.18        | 16.03%  |
| NTE Mobility Partners Holding, LLC (NTE)     | 2009         | 50,000,000         | 43,397,054         | 0                    | 0              | 105,890,000               | 0         | 105,890,000        | 62,492,946        | 2.44        | 2.44        | 19.33%  |
| Olympus II-Hyphen Solutions                  | 2007         | 836,511            | 836,511            | 0                    | 0              | 1,418,149                 | 0         | 1,418,149          | 581,638           | 1.70        | 1.70        | 5.96%   |
| P&F Housing IV                               | 2006         | 134,015,889        | 134,015,889        | 0                    | 0              | 83,179,802                | 0         | 83,179,802         | -50,836,087       | 0.62        | 0.62        | -8.44%  |
| RREEF North American Infrastructure Fund     | 2007         | 50,000,000         | 50,000,000         | 0                    | 846,289        | 55,238,755                | 0         | 55,238,755         | 4,392,466         | 1.09        | 1.09        | 12.59%  |
| Sungate                                      | 2005         | 6,481,568          | 6,481,568          | 0                    | 0              | 308,624                   | 0         | 308,624            | -6,172,944        | 0.05        | 0.05        | -22.30% |
| Tucson Loan                                  | 2014         | 4,500,000          | 4,500,000          | 0                    | 0              | 5,082,785                 | 0         | 5,082,785          | 582,785           | 1.13        | 1.13        | 5.75%   |
| <b>Total Completed Funds</b>                 |              | <b>799,597,134</b> | <b>737,700,320</b> | <b>0</b>             | <b>840,631</b> | <b>791,922,000</b>        | <b>0</b>  | <b>791,922,000</b> | <b>53,381,049</b> | <b>1.07</b> | <b>1.07</b> |         |



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## Dallas Police &amp; Fire Pension System

## Private Markets Review

As of June 30, 2019

| Private Equity & Debt Funds                       |              |                    |                    |                      |                   |                           |           |                    |                    |             |             |         |
|---|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|-----------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|---------|
| Completed Funds                                   | Vintage Year | Commitment Amount  | Paid in Capital    | Capital to be Funded | Addnl Fees        | Cummulative Distributions | Valuation | Total Value        | Gain/Loss          | DPI Ratio   | TVPI Ratio  | IRR     |
| Ashmore Global Special Situations Fund IV         | 2007         | 70,000,000         | 70,012,300         | 0                    | 0                 | 39,652,711                | 0         | 39,652,711         | -30,359,589        | 0.57        | 0.57        | -10.12% |
| BankCap Partners Fund I                           | 2007         | 20,000,000         | 20,000,000         | 0                    | 0                 | 24,960,986                | 0         | 24,960,986         | 4,960,986          | 1.25        | 1.25        | 2.58%   |
| BankCap Partners Opportunity Fund, LP             | 2013         | 20,000,000         | 19,587,052         | 0                    | 0                 | 18,266,454                | 0         | 18,266,454         | -1,320,598         | 0.93        | 0.93        | -5.69%  |
| CDK Southern Cross                                | 2008         | 1,535,316          | 1,535,316          | 0                    | 0                 | 0                         | 0         | 0                  | -1,535,316         | 0.00        | 0.00        | -20.08% |
| Highland Credit Ops                               | 2006         | 35,348,165         | 35,348,165         | 0                    | 0                 | 29,994,190                | 0         | 29,994,190         | -5,353,975         | 0.85        | 0.85        | -2.06%  |
| HM Capital Sector Performance Fund                | 2008         | 47,300,000         | 44,354,248         | 0                    | 1,933,378         | 39,792,545                | 0         | 39,792,545         | -6,495,081         | 0.86        | 0.86        | -4.01%  |
| Huff Alternative Income Fund                      | 1994         | 40,000,000         | 40,000,000         | 0                    | 2,018,676         | 66,940,198                | 0         | 66,940,198         | 24,921,522         | 1.59        | 1.59        | 17.82%  |
| Kainos Capital Partners, L.P.                     | 2013         | 35,000,000         | 30,316,015         | 0                    | 0                 | 43,263,688                | 0         | 43,263,688         | 12,947,673         | 1.43        | 1.43        | 24.76%  |
| Levine Leichtman Capital Partners IV              | 2008         | 50,000,000         | 38,009,085         | 0                    | 0                 | 78,916,788                | 0         | 78,916,788         | 40,907,703         | 2.08        | 2.08        | 20.12%  |
| Levine Leichtman Capital Partners V, L.P.         | 2013         | 25,000,000         | 19,181,272         | 0                    | -4,405            | 24,506,336                | 0         | 24,506,336         | 5,329,469          | 1.28        | 1.28        | 15.26%  |
| Levine Leichtman Deep Value Fund                  | 2006         | 75,000,000         | 75,000,000         | 0                    | 11,025,662        | 88,688,224                | 0         | 88,688,224         | 2,662,562          | 1.03        | 1.03        | 0.73%   |
| Levin Leichtman Private Capital Solutions II, L.F | 2012         | 25,000,000         | 17,961,807         | 0                    | -175              | 18,691,764                | 0         | 18,691,764         | 730,132            | 1.04        | 1.04        | 1.30%   |
| Lone Star Fund IX (U.S.), L.P.                    | 2014         | 35,000,000         | 24,241,467         | 0                    | 0                 | 23,459,730                | 0         | 23,459,730         | -781,737           | 0.97        | 0.97        | -3.28%  |
| Lone Star Fund VII (U.S.), L.P.                   | 2011         | 25,000,000         | 23,469,024         | 0                    | 0                 | 41,624,566                | 0         | 41,624,566         | 18,155,542         | 1.77        | 1.77        | 47.54%  |
| Lone Star Fund VIII (U.S.), L.P.                  | 2013         | 25,000,000         | 22,564,537         | 0                    | 0                 | 28,017,551                | 0         | 28,017,551         | 5,453,014          | 1.24        | 1.24        | 16.26%  |
| Merit Energy Partners E-I                         | 2004         | 7,018,930          | 7,031,052          | 0                    | -1,741            | 14,975,776                | 0         | 14,975,776         | 7,946,465          | 2.13        | 2.13        | 14.48%  |
| Merit Energy Partners F-I                         | 2005         | 8,748,346          | 8,749,275          | 0                    | 0                 | 3,801,206                 | 0         | 3,801,206          | -4,948,069         | 0.43        | 0.43        | -17.19% |
| Merit Energy Partners G, LP                       | 2008         | 39,200,000         | 39,320,050         | 0                    | 0                 | 26,756,651                | 0         | 26,756,651         | -12,563,399        | 0.68        | 0.68        | -9.96%  |
| Merit Energy Partners H, LP                       | 2010         | 10,000,000         | 10,033,415         | 0                    | 0                 | 6,870,451                 | 0         | 6,870,451          | -3,162,964         | 0.68        | 0.68        | -13.78% |
| Oaktree Fund IV                                   | 2001         | 50,000,000         | 50,000,000         | 0                    | 0                 | 82,516,590                | 0         | 82,516,590         | 32,516,590         | 1.65        | 1.65        | 28.36%  |
| Oaktree Loan Fund 2X                              | 2007         | 60,000,000         | 60,004,628         | 0                    | 0                 | 65,066,951                | 0         | 65,066,951         | 5,062,323          | 1.08        | 1.08        | 2.24%   |
| Oaktree Power Fund III                            | 2011         | 30,000,000         | 16,167,147         | 0                    | 0                 | 23,839,959                | 0         | 23,839,959         | 7,672,812          | 1.47        | 1.47        | 12.35%  |
| Pharos Capital Co-Investment, LLC                 | 2007         | 20,000,000         | 20,000,000         | 0                    | 0                 | 10,019,157                | 0         | 10,019,157         | -9,980,843         | 0.50        | 0.50        | -9.92%  |
| Pharos Capital Co-Investment, LP                  | 2008         | 40,000,000         | 40,000,000         | 0                    | 0                 | 67,459,271                | 0         | 67,459,271         | 27,459,271         | 1.69        | 1.69        | 8.42%   |
| Pharos Capital Partners IIA, L.P.                 | 2005         | 20,000,000         | 20,080,306         | 0                    | 0                 | 17,715,199                | 0         | 17,715,199         | -2,365,107         | 0.88        | 0.88        | -2.39%  |
| Pharos Capital Partners III, LP                   | 2012         | 50,000,000         | 28,397,038         | 0                    | -54,286           | 20,196,932                | 0         | 20,196,932         | -8,145,820         | 0.71        | 0.71        | -19.95% |
| <b>Total Completed Funds</b>                      |              | <b>864,150,757</b> | <b>781,363,199</b> | <b>0</b>             | <b>14,917,109</b> | <b>905,993,874</b>        | <b>0</b>  | <b>905,993,874</b> | <b>109,713,566</b> | <b>1.14</b> | <b>1.14</b> |         |



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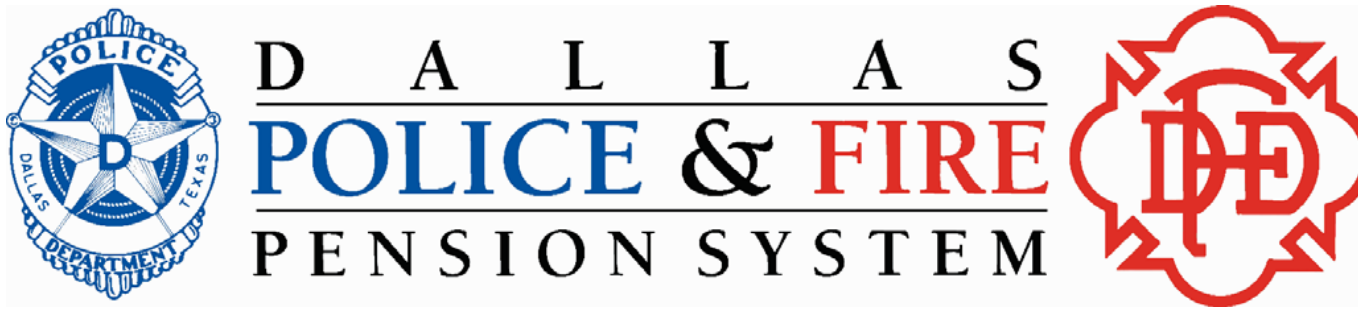
## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D7

**Topic:** Fixed Income Portfolio Review

**Discussion:** Staff will provide an overview of DFPF public fixed income investments.

*Regular Board Meeting – Thursday, December 12, 2019*



# Public Fixed Income Portfolio Review

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December 12, 2019



# Public Fixed Income Structure Overview

| DPFP Asset Allocation        | % weight     |              |              | \$ millions |            |            |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|------------|
|                              | 11/30/2019   | Target       | Variance     | 11/30/2019  | Target     | Variance   |
| <b>Fixed Income</b>          | <b>31.8%</b> | <b>35.0%</b> | <b>-3.2%</b> | <b>660</b>  | <b>726</b> | <b>-66</b> |
| Safety Reserve - Cash        | 4.8%         | 3.0%         | 1.8%         | 99          | 62         | 37         |
| Safety Reserve - ST IG Bonds | 12.7%        | 12.0%        | 0.7%         | 263         | 249        | 13         |
| Investment Grade Bonds       | 1.8%         | 4.0%         | -2.2%        | 37          | 83         | -46        |
| Global Bonds                 | 3.2%         | 4.0%         | -0.8%        | 67          | 83         | -16        |
| High Yield Bonds             | 4.1%         | 4.0%         | 0.1%         | 84          | 83         | 1          |
| Bank Loans                   | 3.9%         | 4.0%         | -0.1%        | 80          | 83         | -3         |
| Emerging Mkt Debt            | 1.0%         | 4.0%         | -3.0%        | 21          | 83         | -62        |
| Private Debt*                | 0.5%         | 0.0%         | 0.5%         | 9           | 0          | 9          |

## Fixed Income Portfolio Milestones

- April 2016 : Added short-term investment grade bond allocation and funded IR+M with \$50MM in June 2017
- December 2017: Transition from Ashmore Dollar Denominated Emerging Market Debt & Ashmore Local Currency Emerging Market Debt portfolios to Ashmore's Blended Emerging Market Debt portfolio
- April 2018: Increased safety reserve allocation and added \$198MM to IR+M in 2Q 2018
- Oct 2018: Approved new asset allocation which included a new 4% allocation to investment grade bonds
- Dec 2018: Approved Vanguard (VBTIX) as new investment grade bond investment and funded with \$37MM in Sept 2019

# Portfolio Performance & Characteristics

| Performance as of 9/30/19          | QTD   | YTD  | 1 Yr | 3 Yrs | 5 Yrs | SI (Dec-10) |
|------------------------------------|-------|------|------|-------|-------|-------------|
| DPFP Public Fixed Income           | 0.1%  | 4.7% | 3.3% | 4.5%  | 3.3%  | 5.2%        |
| DPFP Public Fixed Income (ex IR+M) | -0.5% | 5.7% | 2.2% | 4.3%  | 3.2%  | 5.1%        |
| Barclays Multiverse Total Return   | 0.6%  | 6.5% | 7.5% | 1.8%  | 2.1%  | 2.3%        |

\*Performance is net of investment management fees provided by Meketa

| as of 9/30/19            | IR+M<br>(Short Investment Grade) | Vanguard<br>(Investment Grade) | Brandywine<br>(Global Bonds) | Loomis<br>(High Yield) | Loomis<br>(Bank Loans) | Pacific Asset<br>(Bank Loans) | Ashmore<br>(Emerging Market Debt) | DPFP<br>(Total) |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| Yield to Maturity        | 2.1%                             | 2.3%                           | 3.8%                         | 6.2%                   | 6.4%                   | 5.6%                          | 7.4%                              | 3.6%            |
| Average Quality          | AA                               | AA                             | A                            | BB                     | B                      | B                             | BB                                | A               |
| Weighted Avg Maturity    | 1.9                              | 8.3                            | 9.8                          | 5.2                    | 4.7                    | 4.6                           | 10.1                              | 4.2             |
| Average Duration         | 1.8                              | 6.2                            | 5.5                          | 3.7                    | 0.4                    | 0.3                           | 6.0                               | 2.5             |
| <b>3 Year Statistics</b> |                                  |                                |                              |                        |                        |                               |                                   |                 |
| Standard Deviation       | 0.96%                            | 3.45%                          | 6.99%                        | 4.61%                  | 2.65%                  | 3.34%                         | 2.31%                             | 2.71%           |
| Beta                     | 0.91                             | 1.01                           | 1.14                         | 0.75                   | 0.91                   | 1.04                          | 1.24                              | 0.38            |
| Information Ratio        | 1.74                             | -0.17                          | 0.06                         | 0.24                   | -0.02                  | 0.61                          | 0.03                              | 0.78            |
| Sharpe Ratio             | 0.46                             | 0.40                           | 0.05                         | 0.91                   | 1.26                   | 1.28                          | 0.28                              | 1.11            |
| <b>5 Year Statistics</b> |                                  |                                |                              |                        |                        |                               |                                   |                 |
| Standard Deviation       | 0.89%                            | 3.22%                          | 6.75%                        | 6.77%                  | 3.62%                  | 3.04%                         | 8.63%                             | 4.51%           |
| Beta                     | 0.90                             | 1.01                           | 1.17                         | 1.04                   | 1.13                   | 0.89                          | 1.30                              | 0.60            |
| Information Ratio        | 1.69                             | -0.17                          | -0.11                        | -0.30                  | -0.06                  | 0.32                          | 0.29                              | 0.28            |
| Sharpe Ratio             | 0.89                             | 0.75                           | 0.08                         | 0.39                   | 0.85                   | 1.35                          | 0.33                              | 0.51            |

\*Metrics provided by Meketa

# Investment Manager Performance

| as of 9/30/19  | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs* | 5 Yrs* | 10Yrs* | SI (6/2017)  |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------------|
| Income Research + Management Short-term Investment Grade | 0.76%  | 3.66%  | 4.72%  | 2.10%  | 1.91%  | 2.24%  | 2.36%        |
| Barclays UST 1-3 Year                                    | 0.58%  | 3.07%  | 4.43%  | 1.53%  | 1.33%  | 1.18%  | 2.01%        |
| Excess Return  | 0.18%  | 0.59%  | 0.29%  | 0.57%  | 0.58%  | 1.06%  | 0.35%        |
| as of 9/30/19  | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs  | 5 Yrs  | 10Yrs  | SI (9/1995)  |
| Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund (VBTIX)**          | 2.43%  | 8.70%  | 10.45% | 2.91%  | 3.36%  | 3.71%  | 5.17%        |
| Barclays US Aggregate Float Adjusted***                  | 2.33%  | 8.72%  | 10.44% | 2.96%  | 3.40%  | 3.78%  | --           |
| Excess Return  | 0.10%  | -0.02% | 0.01%  | -0.05% | -0.04% | -0.07% | --           |
| as of 9/30/19  | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs  | 5 Yrs  | 10Yrs  | SI (12/2004) |
| Brandywine Global Bonds                                  | -1.50% | 5.14%  | 3.82%  | 1.97%  | 1.58%  | 4.32%  | 4.52%        |
| Barclays Global Aggregate                                | 0.71%  | 6.32%  | 7.60%  | 1.59%  | 1.99%  | 2.34%  | 3.26%        |
| Excess Return  | -2.21% | -1.18% | -3.78% | 0.38%  | -0.41% | 1.98%  | 1.26%        |
| as of 9/30/19  | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs  | 5 Yrs  | 10Yrs  | SI (11/1998) |
| Loomis Sayles Full Discretion High Yield                 | -0.39% | 6.29%  | -0.29% | 5.59%  | 3.60%  | 7.97%  | 9.43%        |
| Barclays Global High Yield                               | -0.67% | 8.76%  | 4.97%  | 4.40%  | 4.69%  | 7.14%  | 7.79%        |
| Excess Return  | 0.28%  | -2.47% | -5.26% | 1.19%  | -1.09% | 0.83%  | 1.64%        |
| as of 9/30/19  | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs  | 5 Yrs  | 10Yrs  | SI (1/2014)  |
| Loomis Sayles Senior Floating Rate & Fixed Income        | 0.46%  | 4.85%  | 1.94%  | 4.51%  | 3.91%  | --     | 3.99%        |
| S&P Leveraged Loan                                       | 0.99%  | 6.79%  | 3.10%  | 4.53%  | 3.98%  | --     | 3.84%        |
| Excess Return  | -0.53% | -1.94% | -1.16% | -0.02% | -0.07% | --     | 0.15%        |
| as of 9/30/19  | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs* | 5 Yrs* | 10Yrs* | SI (7/2017)  |
| Pacific Asset Management Bank Loans                      | 1.34%  | 7.13%  | 3.58%  | 4.98%  | 4.27%  | 5.51%  | 4.55%        |
| Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan                             | 0.92%  | 6.39%  | 3.11%  | 4.68%  | 4.11%  | 5.38%  | 4.11%        |
| Excess Return  | 0.42%  | 0.74%  | 0.47%  | 0.30%  | 0.16%  | 0.13%  | 0.44%        |
| as of 9/30/19  | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs* | 5 Yrs* | 10Yrs* | SI (12/2017) |
| Ashmore Emerging Market Debt                             | -2.74% | 7.27%  | 6.88%  | 3.86%  | 3.95%  | 5.15%  | 1.32%        |
| 50% JPM EMBI GD / 25% JPM ELMI+ / 25% JPM GBIEM GD       | 0.04%  | 8.75%  | 8.97%  | 3.56%  | 3.00%  | 4.20%  | 2.70%        |
| Excess Return  | -2.78% | -1.48% | -2.09% | 0.30%  | 0.95%  | 0.95%  | -1.38%       |

\*Composite returns for IR+M, Pacific Asset Management and Ashmore EM Debt for 3yr, 5yr and 10yr returns

\*\*DPFP invested in Vanguard (VBTIX) in September 2019. VBTIX is a mutual fund and historical returns are shown for the fund.

\*\*\*Barclays US Aggregate Float Adjusted does not go back to inception

\*\*\*\*Performance is net of investment management fees and provided by investment managers and Meketa



# Income Research + Management

## Short Term Investment Grade Bonds

|                            |                  |                 |                            |
|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| Market Value (09-30-2019): | \$261,572,726    | Inception Date: | June 2017                  |
| Investment Structure:      | Separate Account | Benchmark:      | Barclays US Treasury 1-3Yr |

### Philosophy

- Relative-value orientation with a duration neutral approach that emphasizes bottom-up security selection
- Careful security selection and risk management provide superior results over the long term
- Allocations to securitized bonds can add both high-quality diversification and yield to a portfolio
- This allocation is used as a secondary source of liquidity to DPFPS while offering enhanced returns over cash

### Process

- The Investment Committee sets sector allocation targets and the sector teams focus on security selection
- Research analysts perform security analysis on structure, price and credit (quality, liquidity and management)
- Portfolio construction is handled by the portfolio strategy team who takes into consideration the sector positioning, security selection, investment guidelines and cash flow needs of the portfolio
- Risk team conducts market risk evaluation, accesses relative value and monitors exposure to sectors & issuers

### Organization

- Headquartered in Boston with consistent management since inception (1987)
- ~200 employees and 49 investment professionals with average tenure of 15 years for investment committee
- 55 employee shareholders who own >50% of the company, excluding founders' ownership
- \$75 Billion of assets focused exclusively on US fixed income management

# Income Research + Management

| Performance<br>as of 9/30/19 |       |       |       | SI       | Composite |       |        |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|----------|-----------|-------|--------|
|                              | QTD   | YTD   | 1 Yr  | (6/2017) | 3 Yrs     | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs |
| IR + M                       | 0.76% | 3.66% | 4.72% | 2.36%    | 2.10%     | 1.91% | 2.24%  |
| Barclays UST 1-3 Yr          | 0.58% | 3.07% | 4.43% | 2.01%    | 1.53%     | 1.33% | 1.18%  |
| Excess Return                | 0.18% | 0.59% | 0.29% | 0.35%    | 0.57%     | 0.58% | 1.06%  |
| Alpha                        | --    | --    | 0.67% | 0.34%    | 0.57%     | 0.61% | 1.12%  |
| Beta                         | --    | --    | 0.82  | 0.87     | 0.91      | 0.90  | 0.91   |

\*Performance is net of investment management fees

| Volatility<br>as of 9/30/19 | 3 Yrs | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|--------|
| Standard Deviation          | 0.96% | 0.89% | 0.95%  |
| Tracking Error              | 0.24% | 0.25% | 0.52%  |

\*Composite used for metrics prior to inception

| Max Drawdown        | Feb-18 | Nov-16 | 2008   | 2Q '04 |
|---------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| IR + M              | -0.59% | -0.41% | -3.44% | -0.93% |
| Barclays UST 1-3 Yr | -0.80% | -0.59% | -1.14% | -1.06% |

## Performance Expectations

- Stable returns with low volatility, consistent with the fund mandate and role in our portfolio
- Long-term outperformance driven by overweight of high-quality spread sectors relative to the benchmark
- Modest underperformance during risk-off/spread widening environments
- Down-market protection is provided by typically having shorter duration than the benchmark, coupon interest and positive convexity

## Performance Commentary

- Followed expectations with outperformance in 2018 and 2019 due to a decline in rates and an overweight to high quality spread sectors. The fund experienced slight underperformance in 4Q18 due to underperformance of spread sectors vs. US Treasuries during the risk-off environment.
- Currently underweight US Treasuries and overweight all other sectors, which is in line with the strategy. This results in a higher yield and lower credit quality relative to the benchmark.
- Added incrementally to high-quality, liquid securitized sectors in the first half of 2019.
- There has been minimal changes in allocation in 3Q19.

# Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund

*Investment Grade Bonds*

|                            |                              |                 |                                      |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|
| Market Value (09-30-2019): | \$36,706,555                 | Inception Date: | Sept 2019                            |
| Investment Structure:      | Mutual Fund<br>Ticker: VBTIX | Benchmark:      | Barclays US Aggregate Float Adjusted |

## Philosophy

- Provide broad passive diversified exposure to the investment-grade US bonds
- Provide moderate current income with high credit quality
- Track the Bloomberg Barclays US Aggregate Float Adjusted Index using index sampling

## Process

- Tight index tracking is accomplished with duration and yield-curve matching, broad sector matching, subsector, quality & mortgage backed structure matching and tight issuer risk controls

## Organization

- Vanguard is an American registered investment advisor based in Malvern, PA
- Largest provider of mutual funds and second largest provider of ETFs with \$5.3 trillion of assets
- More than 180 portfolio managers, traders, analysts, researchers and support

# Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund (VBTIX)

| Performance as of 9/30/19 | QTD   | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3Yrs   | 5Yrs   | 10Yrs  |
|---------------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Vanguard (VBTIX)**        | 2.43% | 8.70%  | 10.45% | 2.91%  | 3.36%  | 3.71%  |
| Barclays US Agg Float Adj | 2.33% | 8.72%  | 10.44% | 2.96%  | 3.40%  | 3.78%  |
| Excess Return             | 0.10% | -0.02% | 0.01%  | -0.05% | -0.04% | -0.07% |
| Alpha                     | --    | --     | 0.01%  | -0.06% | -0.06% | -0.13% |
| Beta                      | --    | --     | 1.00   | 1.01   | 1.01   | 1.02   |

\*Performance is net of investment management fees

\*\*Returns include changes in share price and reinvestments of dividends and capital gains

| Volatility as of 9/30/19 | 3Yrs  | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--------|
| Standard Deviation       | 3.45% | 3.22% | 3.06%  |
| Tracking Error           | 0.00% | 0.00% | 0.02%  |

| Max Drawdown              | Oct-18 | Nov-16 | Aug-13 | Oct-08 |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Vanguard (VBTIX)          | -2.44% | -3.64% | -3.72% | -3.93% |
| Barclays US Agg Float Adj | -2.51% | -3.42% | -3.65% | -3.83% |

## Performance Expectations

- To track the Bloomberg Barclays US Aggregate Float Adjusted Index with minimal tracking error
- The fund is expected to trail the benchmark slightly due to management fees of 3.5 bps

## Performance Commentary

- Fund has tracked the benchmark with minimal tracking error as expected
- Asset class positioning: 43% US Treasuries, 22% Government Mortgage Backed Securities, 16% Industrials, 9% financials, 5% foreign government and 5% other
- Maturity positioning: 1% (< 1year), 24% (1-3 year), 26% (3-5 year), 30% (5-10 year), 4% (10-20 year), 14% (20-30 year) & 1% (>30 years)

# Brandywine

## Global Bonds

|                            |                  |                 |                           |
|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|
| Market Value (09-30-2019): | \$66,941,578     | Inception Date: | December 2004             |
| Investment Structure:      | Separate Account | Benchmark:      | Barclays Global Aggregate |

### Philosophy

- Value oriented & focused on real yields; believes extreme asset prices trigger economic policies leading to mean reversion
- Macroeconomic driven; believes interest rates and currencies are regulators of economic activity
- Benchmark agnostic because benchmarks tend to favor the biggest debtors, not most disciplined debtors
- Performance objective is to exceed the Barclays Global Aggregate Index by 1.50% net over a full market cycle

### Process

- Starts with systematic macro-economic research focused on business & liquidity cycles, politics and ESG
- Then incorporates valuation research focused on real yields & rates, inflation, default, PPP and currencies
- Constructs portfolio and establishes investment themes (country, currency, duration & credit) using research
- Investment, performance, trading & compliance teams manage risk at the security, portfolio & firm level

### Organization

- Headquartered in Philadelphia & founded in 1986; became a wholly owned subsidiary of Legg Mason in 1998
- 253 employees and 52 investment professionals with an average tenure of 21.5 years
- Last major departure in Global Fixed Income Portfolio was a portfolio manager in 2014
- \$75B in assets that have been steadily growing with \$50B in fixed income, \$17.5B in equities and \$7.2B in alternatives



# Brandywine

| Performance as of 9/30/19 | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs | 5yrs   | 10Yrs | SI (12/2004) |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------|--------------|
| Brandywine                | -1.50% | 5.14%  | 3.82%  | 1.97% | 1.58%  | 4.32% | 4.52%        |
| Barclays Global Agg       | 0.71%  | 6.32%  | 7.60%  | 1.59% | 1.99%  | 2.34% | 3.26%        |
| Excess Return             | -2.21% | -1.18% | -3.78% | 0.38% | -0.41% | 1.98% | 1.26%        |
| Alpha                     | --     | --     | -5.11% | 0.38% | -0.58% | 1.80% | 1.06%        |
| Beta                      | --     | --     | 1.25   | 1.14  | 1.17   | 1.10  | 1.10         |

| Volatility as of 9/30/19 | 3 Yrs | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs | SI (12/2004) |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|
| Standard Deviation       | 6.99% | 6.75% | 6.61%  | 7.29%        |
| Tracking Error           | 4.65% | 4.38% | 4.00%  | 4.33%        |

| Max Drawdown        | Oct-18 | Q4 '15  | 2013   | 2008/09 |
|---------------------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| Brandywine          | -9.80% | -9.84%  | -8.11% | -15.75% |
| Barclays Global Agg | -5.84% | -10.26% | -7.27% | -8.96%  |

\*Performance is net of investment management fees

## Performance Expectations

- Relative underperformance during periods of stress in global bonds, but relative outperformance during market recoveries (due to a focus on under-valued bonds and currencies, with real yield being the primary definition of value) and risk-neutral markets (due to inefficiencies in the index)

## Performance Commentary

- The fund is overweight emerging market bonds and currencies while underweight the US Dollar, Euro and Yen.
- Brandywine believes the US Dollar is over-valued and avoids countries with negative interest rates. This has hurt 2019 performance as changes in US monetary policy and the US/China trade war has fueled the US market and US Dollar while slowing foreign growth. In addition, bonds with negative yields continued to head into more negative territory in 2019.
- Recent underperformance is consistent with expected positioning and tracking error.

# Loomis Sayles Full Discretion High Yield

*High Yield*

|                            |                  |                 |                            |
|----------------------------|------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|
| Market Value (09-30-2019): | \$83,852,777     | Inception Date: | November 1998              |
| Investment Structure:      | Separate Account | Benchmark:      | Barclays Global High Yield |

## Philosophy

- Uses top down and bottom up research to make investment decisions
- Believe 80% of high yield returns are driven by coupon income, 20% by capital appreciation
- Contrarian value-driven approach with a strong emphasis on security selection to avoid defaults

## Process

- Starts with top down research from the macro, US Yield Curve and global asset allocation teams
- Then goes to product teams who apply long-term themes & sector strategies for security selection
- Broad investment guidelines allow for flexibility to invest opportunistically outside of the benchmark
- Portfolio managers manage the strategy by monitoring sector targets, security selection, quality & duration
- Overall risk is monitored through sensitivity testing of rates, spreads, currencies and concentration

## Organization

- Headquartered in Boston & founded in 1926; wholly owned by Natixis Global Asset Management
- 695 employees and 293 investment professionals with an average tenure of 10 years
- \$288B firmwide assets; \$221B in fixed income (\$7.4B with the Full Discretion HY team) and \$67B in equities
- Dan Fuss (Vice Chairman and Lead Portfolio Manager) transitioned off the portfolio in April 2019. His responsibilities have been transferred to Matt Eagan and Elaine Stokes (Co-Portfolio managers).

# Loomis Sayles Full Discretion High Yield

| Performance as of 9/30/19 | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs | 5yrs   | 10Yr   | SI (11/1998) |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------------|
| Loomis Sayles HY          | -0.39% | 6.29%  | -0.29% | 5.59% | 3.60%  | 7.97%  | 9.43%        |
| Barclays Global HY        | -0.67% | 8.76%  | 4.97%  | 4.40% | 4.69%  | 7.14%  | 7.79%        |
| Excess Return             | 0.28%  | -2.47% | -5.26% | 1.19% | -1.09% | 0.83%  | 1.64%        |
| Alpha                     | --     | --     | -4.94% | 1.90% | -1.24% | -0.56% | 0.50%        |
| Beta                      | --     | --     | 0.88   | 0.75  | 1.04   | 1.21   | 1.19         |

\*Performance is net of investment management fees

| Volatility as of 9/30/19 | 3 Yrs | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs | SI (11/1998) |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|
| Standard Deviation       | 4.61% | 6.77% | 7.55%  | 11.26%       |
| Tracking Error           | 3.16% | 3.34% | 3.35%  | 4.37%        |

| Max Drawdown       | Dec -18 | Jan-16  | Nov-08  | Jul-02  |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Loomis Sayles HY   | -6.07%  | -17.95% | -36.40% | -24.57% |
| Barclays Global HY | -5.19%  | -9.63%  | -33.37% | -11.68% |

## Performance Expectations

- Underperform during down markets, but outperform during the following market recovery
- Higher volatility than the benchmark in this strategy due to the opportunistic approach

## Performance Commentary

- Underperformance in the past year is attributed to barbell overweights to cash/short-term US Treasuries and high yield energy credit which have lagged as high yield rebounded in 2019.
- Negative selection in the energy sector also detracted in 2019
- Starting in 3Q 2019, Loomis is gradually reducing the barbell to more closely align with the composite
- As a result of this re-allocation, the portfolio has experienced a modest decline in credit quality as cash is deployed

# Loomis Sayles Senior Floating Rate and Fixed Income

*Bank Loans*

|                            |                                      |                 |                    |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Market Value (09-30-2019): | \$39,675,374                         | Inception Date: | January 2014       |
| Investment Structure:      | Commingled Fund (Biweekly Liquidity) | Benchmark:      | S&P Leveraged Loan |

## Philosophy

- Long term, value-driven and opportunistic approach focused on macro-economic risk
- Believes the risk environment drives alpha more than security selection, because bank loans do not have many disparities to exploit through security selection (exception is when defaults are unusually high)
- Allocates outside of benchmark for offensive & defensive purposes in different business cycles

## Process

- Starts with top down global asset allocation research that looks at a risk-on risk-off model comparing BBs and Bs
- Then portfolio managers combine bottom up research from sector teams to construct the portfolio
- Overall risk is monitored through sensitivity testing and awareness of concentration risk

## Organization

- Headquartered in Boston & founded in 1926; wholly owned by Natixis Global Asset Management
- 695 employees and 293 investment professionals with an average tenure of 10 years
- \$288B firmwide assets; \$221B in fixed income (\$7.3B in floating rate loan strategies) and \$67B in equities
- Kevin Perry (co-portfolio manager) retired in March 2019. John Bell (co-portfolio manager) has become the sole portfolio manager and has final authority on all portfolio decisions.

# Loomis Sayles Senior Floating Rate & Fixed Income

| Performance as of 9/30/19 | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | 3 Yrs  | 5yrs   | SI (1/2014) |
|---------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|
| Loomis Sr Floating Rate   | 0.46%  | 4.85%  | 1.94%  | 4.51%  | 3.91%  | 3.99%       |
| S&P Leveraged Loan        | 0.99%  | 6.79%  | 3.10%  | 4.53%  | 3.98%  | 3.84%       |
| Excess Return             | -0.53% | -1.94% | -1.16% | -0.02% | -0.07% | 0.15%       |
| Alpha                     | --     | --     | -1.05% | 0.25%  | -0.46% | -0.18%      |
| Beta                      | --     | --     | 0.86   | 0.91   | 1.13   | 1.11        |

\*Performance is net of investment management fees

| Volatility as of 9/30/19 | 3 Yrs | 5 Yrs | SI (1/2014) |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------------|
| Standard Deviation       | 2.65% | 3.62% | 3.42%       |
| Tracking Error           | 0.97% | 1.33% | 1.29%       |

| Max Drawdown            | Dec-18 | Feb-16 | Dec-14 |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Loomis Sr Floating Rate | -2.77% | -7.69% | -1.33% |
| S&P Leveraged Loan      | -3.45% | -4.95% | -1.25% |

## Performance Expectations

- Goal is to exceed the S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loans Index by 100 basis points annually, gross of fees
- Outperform in up markets and underperform in down markets due to the strategic focus on higher yield and an overweight to lower credit quality (Bs & CCCs).

## Performance Commentary

- Historically we see underperformance during risk-off followed by outperformance. For example, during the energy crisis of 2015 the fund had a max drawdown of -7.69% (vs. -4.95% benchmark) from Aug 2015 to Feb 2016. The subsequent market recovery saw the fund return +11.86% (vs. +8.70% benchmark) from March 2016 to Sept 2016).
- However, in the past year we have seen Beta decrease as the portfolio has increased credit quality.
- While the addition of US Treasuries and a higher allocation to cash has shifted the portfolio up in quality, the portfolio remains overweight to lower rated credits (Bs & CCCs). This overweight has caused underperformance as BBs have outperformed over the past year.
- Security selection in the energy sector also detracted.

# Pacific Asset Management

## Bank Loans

|                            |                                      |                 |                              |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| Market Value (09-30-2019): | \$40,621,888                         | Inception Date: | July 2017                    |
| Investment Structure:      | Commingled Fund (Biweekly Liquidity) | Benchmark:      | Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan |

### Philosophy

- Target the largest and most liquid US bank loans using bottom up credit analysis focused on capital preservation and downside risk
- Minimize defaults by investing in companies with large margins of safety (3 defaults since inception)
- High conviction approach that leads to a selective portfolio of 80-150 issuers

### Process

- Begins with top down research looking at macro and sector trends to determine portfolio weights
- Then portfolio managers and research teams screen the US Bank Loans universe for size and liquidity
- Bottom up credit analysis is incorporated and looks at loan structure, capital structure and credit
- Securities are then selected and brought to the investment committee for approval
- Risk is monitored through attribution analysis as a quantitative check on the results of the decision making

### Organization

- Headquartered in Newport Beach, CA & founded in 2007 as a subsidiary of Pacific Life Insurance
- \$11.7B institutional fixed income firm with \$4.2B in bank loans (largest and longest tenured asset class)
- In 2019 the firm had inflows of \$2 Billion in assets with \$200MM going to bank loans
- 22 investment professionals with an average tenure of 8 years; employees own 30% of the equity of Pacific
- No investment professional departures and 4 additions to the team in the last 3 years

# Pacific Asset Management

| Performance as of 9/30/19 |       |       |       | SI       | Composite |       |        |
|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|----------|-----------|-------|--------|
|                           | QTD   | YTD   | 1 Yr  | (7/2017) | 3 Yrs     | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs |
| Pacific Asset             | 1.34% | 7.13% | 3.58% | 4.55%    | 4.98%     | 4.27% | 5.51%  |
| CS Leveraged Loan         | 0.92% | 6.39% | 3.11% | 4.11%    | 4.68%     | 4.11% | 5.38%  |
| Excess Return             | 0.42% | 0.74% | 0.47% | 0.44%    | 0.30%     | 0.16% | 0.13%  |
| Alpha                     | --    | --    | 0.43% | 0.44%    | 0.18%     | 0.50% | 0.03%  |
| Beta                      | --    | --    | 1.05  | 1.00     | 1.04      | 0.89  | 1.02   |

| Volatility as of 9/30/19 | 3 Yrs | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs | SI* (1/2007) |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------------|
| Standard Deviation       | 3.34% | 3.04% | 3.68%  | 8.01%        |
| Tracking Error           | 0.43% | 1.06% | 1.21%  | 3.30%        |

*\*Since Inception of Composite*

| Max Drawdown      | Dec-18 | Feb-16 | Dec-14 |
|-------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Pacific Asset     | -3.20% | -1.11% | -1.25% |
| CS Leveraged Loan | -3.09% | -4.70% | -1.10% |

*\*\*Composite used for metrics prior to inception*

*\*Performance is net of investment management fees*

## Performance Expectations

- Outperformance in down markets and underperformance in up markets due to the quality bias of the strategy
- Low number of defaults as a result of investing in large firms with high margins of safety

## Performance Commentary

- Bank loans have rallied this year and we would expect modest underperformance from Pacific due to the quality bias. However, the bank loan market has been driven by high quality loans which has been a tailwind for this strategy.
- The portfolio also focuses on large-cap bank loans which has benefited performance. During the year, larger facility sizes outperformed smaller facility sizes.
- The portfolio has seen a shifted up in quality in 2019. The goal is to be positioned with a particularly high-quality portfolio at the end of the year.

# Ashmore Emerging Markets Blended Debt

*Emerging Markets Debt*

|                            |   |                 |  |
|----------------------------|---|-----------------|--|
| Market Value (09-30-2019): | \$20,537,798                            | Inception Date: | December 2017  |
| Investment Structure:      | Commingled Fund<br>(Biweekly Liquidity) | Benchmark:      | 50% JP Morgan Emerging Market Bond Global Diversified<br>25% JP Morgan Emerging Local Markets Plus<br>25% JP Morgan Government Bond Emerging Markets |

## Philosophy

- Strategy allocates across EM external debt, local currency debt, corporate debt and rates
- Predominately top-down focused on macro-economics, politics, interest rates and currencies
- Value driven to exploit a lack of quality information in EM and liquidity obsessed for risk monitoring

## Process

- Investment committee meets weekly to review macros, countries, corporate credit, FX and theme allocation
- Portfolio construction considers investment committee outlooks, absolute & relative value, liquidity, concentration, portfolio limits/mandates and funding availability for each trade idea
- Risk is monitored through frequent portfolio sensitivity analysis of G7 duration, credit risk, FX risk, liquidity, yield curve, concentration and correlation

## Organization

- Headquartered in London, founded in 1992 as part of the Australia and New Zealand Banking Group
- Became independent in 1999 and listed on the London exchange (FTSE: ASHM) in 2006
- 307 employees and 95 investment professionals with average tenure of 17 years for investment committee
- Mark Coombs (founder) owns 40% and other employees own 9%
- \$92B of assets all in emerging markets with \$84.4B in EM Debt and \$20.4B in EM Blended Debt



# Ashmore Emerging Markets Blended Debt

| Performance<br>as of 9/30/19 |        |        |        | SI        | Composite |       |        |
|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|-----------|-------|--------|
|                              | QTD    | YTD    | 1 Yr   | (12/2017) | 3 Yrs     | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs |
| Ashmore EMD                  | -2.74% | 7.27%  | 6.88%  | 1.32%     | 3.86%     | 3.95% | 5.15%  |
| Benchmark*                   | 0.04%  | 8.75%  | 8.97%  | 2.70%     | 3.56%     | 3.00% | 4.20%  |
| Excess Return                | -2.78% | -1.48% | -2.09% | -1.38%    | 0.30%     | 0.95% | 0.95%  |
| Alpha                        | --     | --     | -3.69% | -1.49%    | -0.18%    | 0.35% | 0.14%  |
| Beta                         | --     | --     | 1.24   | 1.20      | 1.24      | 1.30  | 1.22   |

\*50% JPM EMBI GD / 25% JPM ELMI+ / 25% JPM GBIEM GD

\*\*Performance is net of investment management fees

| Volatility<br>as of 9/30/19 | 3 Yrs | 5 Yrs | 10 Yrs | SI*<br>(6/2003) |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|--------|-----------------|
| Standard Deviation          | 2.3%  | 8.6%  | 8.9%   | 10.0%           |
| Tracking Error              | 7.5%  | 2.9%  | 2.6%   | 3.2%            |

\*Since Inception of Composite

| Max Drawdown | 2018   | Jan-16  | 2013/14 | 4Q '08  |
|--------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| Ashmore EMD  | -9.17% | -16.46% | -10.27% | -23.70% |
| Benchmark*   | -8.08% | -11.82% | -9.71%  | -19.69% |

\*50% JPM EMBI GD / 25% JPM ELMI+ / 25% JPM GBIEM GD

\*\*Composite used for metrics prior to inception

## Performance Expectations

- The fund's value style buys into cheapness at times of market dislocation when value is at its greatest
- Therefore, underperformance is expected during market sell offs where price volatility remains high, followed by outperformance through the subsequent market recovery

## Performance Commentary

- Performance for 1H 2019 was positive. However, 3Q 2019 underperformance caused YTD returns to lag the benchmark.
- Key detractors in 3Q 2019 were related to exposure in Argentina and Venezuela, both of which are experiencing political turmoil. Positioning is consistent with their philosophy and process. Ashmore believes these markets are now attractive and will add relative contribution once there as eventual political stability leads to market recovery.
- Local currency positioning has been relatively more dynamic in the past 4 quarters, which is attributed to the anticipation and reaction of dollar strength.



## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D8

**Topic:** Interpretation of Qualified Surviving Spouse Special Death Benefit

**Discussion:** Section 6.09 of Article 6243a-1 provides for a special death benefit in certain situations. Part of the calculation in Section 6.09 requires an interpretation of the term “average monthly computation pay.” This term is not defined in the plan. As such, the Board has the authority to define this term pursuant to Section 3.01(j-3) which provides that “The board may correct any defect, supply any omission, and reconcile any inconsistency that may appear in this article...”

Staff will present to the Board its recommendation for the interpretation of the term “average monthly computation pay.”

**Staff Recommendation:** To be presented at the meeting.

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# Special Survivor Death Benefit

December 12, 2019

# The Issue

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HB 3158 created a bifurcated benefit based on the sum of two separate calculations for service time before and after 9-1-2017.

- A part of the calculation of a Member's benefit is to determine the Computation Pay value using both the highest average 36-months (for the pre 9-1-17 benefit calculation) and highest average 60-months of Computation Pay (for the post 9-1-17 benefit calculation). This calculation is clear in the benefit calculation section.
- However, the term "Average Monthly Computation Pay" is not defined in Section 6.09 – Qualified Surviving Spouse Special Death Benefits nor anywhere else in the plan.

# Special Survivor Death Benefit Calculation

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- The calculation uses a math formula and defines  $A$  in the formula as “ $A$ =average monthly computation pay at the time the primary party begins service retirement...”
- Because “average monthly computation pay” is not defined, Section 3.01(j-3) of the plan enables the Board to adopt an interpretation. Given the bifurcated nature of the Member’s benefits for pre and post 9-1-2017 time, staff believes time weighting computation pay for pre and post 9-1-2017 time is the best method to achieve the statutes intent.
- The staff recommendation is, that for the purposes of calculating the Special Survivor Death Benefit the “average monthly computation pay” should be calculated by weighting the two average computation pay values by the percentage of total service time earned both pre and post 9-1-2017 and all previous benefit calculations affected by this interpretation be adjusted on a prospective basis.

# Example of the Average Computation Pay based on Staff's Recommendation

| <u>Member's Benefit Calculation</u> |   | Pre 9-1-2017 | Post 9-1-2017 | Total      |
|-------------------------------------|---|--------------|---------------|------------|
| Average Monthly Computation Pay     | a | \$7,106.08   | \$6,882.12    |            |
| Service Time (years)                | b | 20.0000      | 10.0000       | 30.0000    |
| Multiplier                          |   | 3.00%        | 2.50%         |            |
| Benefit                             |   | \$4,263.65   | \$1,720.53    | \$5,984.18 |

| <u>Average Computation Pay for Special Survivor Benefit Calculation</u> |   |            |             |
|---|---|------------|-------------|
|   |   |            | Ave         |
| Weighted Service Time   | c | 66.667%    | 33.333%     |
| Average Comp Pay Weighted for Service Time                              | d | \$4,737.39 | \$2,294.04  |
|   |   |            | Computation |
|   |   |            | \$7,031.43  |

Assumptions: Member hired prior to 3-1-2011 and age 58 at retirement.

**Sec. 6.09. QUALIFIED SURVIVING SPOUSE SPECIAL DEATH BENEFIT.**

(a) A person who is the spouse of a Group A primary party, who is a qualified survivor, and who is entitled to death benefits under Sections 6.06, 6.061, 6.062, 6.063, and 6.07 of this article is also entitled to a special death benefit under this section if:

(1) the Group A primary party:

(A) had at least 20 years of pension service, left active service after October 1, 1985, and was at least 55 years of age on the earlier of the date the primary party:

(i) left active service; or

(ii) began participation in DROP; or

(B) had at least 20 years of pension service, left active service on or after May 31, 2000, and on the earlier of the date the primary party left active service or began participation in DROP, had a total of at least 78 credits, with each year of pension service, prorated for fractional years, equal to one credit and with each year of age, prorated for fractional years, equal to one credit; or

(2) the spouse has attained 55 years of age and there are no children who are qualified survivors eligible for death benefits.

(b) Until the requirements of Subsection (a) of this section are satisfied, a qualified survivor who is the spouse of a Group A primary party shall receive a Group A death benefit in accordance with Section 6.07 of this article.

(c) The special Group A death benefit under Subsection (a) of this section is calculated based on the following formula:

$$(P \times P \times A) + (P \times C) + D, \text{ where}$$

A = base pay at the time the Group A primary party began participation in DROP, begins service retirement, dies, or becomes disabled, plus longevity pay, plus one-twelfth of last-received city service incentive pay;

B = Group A primary party's benefit calculated at the time the Group A primary party began participation in DROP, begins service retirement, dies, or becomes disabled;

P = B/A (expressed as a percentage or a decimal);

C = the number of adjustments made to a Group A primary party's retirement pension, disability pension, or periodic disability compensation, multiplied by the amount of the adjustments; and

D = the number of adjustments made under this article to the Group A death benefit of a spouse who is a qualified survivor under Section 6.07 of this article, multiplied by the amount of the adjustments.

(d) A person who is the spouse of a Group B primary party, who is a qualified survivor, and who is entitled to any death benefits under Sections 6.06, 6.061, 6.062, 6.063, and 6.08 of this article is also entitled to a special benefit under this section if:

(1) the Group B primary party:

(A) had at least 20 years of pension service, left active service after October 1, 1985, and was at least 55 years of age at the earlier of the date the primary party left active service or began participation in DROP; or

(B) on or after May 31, 2000, left active service or began participation in DROP, whichever was earlier, having a total of at least 78 credits, with each year of pension service, prorated for fractional years, equal to one credit and with each year of age, determined at the time the Group B primary party left active service or began participation in DROP, prorated for fractional years, equal to one credit; or

(2) the spouse has attained 55 years of age, and there are no children of the primary party who are qualified survivors.

(d-1) Until the requirements of Subsection (d) of this section are satisfied, a spouse who is a qualified survivor may only receive a Group B death benefit in accordance with Sections 6.06, 6.061, 6.062, 6.063, and 6.08 of this article.



(e) The special Group B death benefit under Subsection (d) of this section is calculated based on the following formula:

$$(P \times P \times A) + (P \times C) + D, \text{ where}$$

A = average monthly computation pay at the time the Group B primary party begins service retirement, dies, becomes disabled, or begins participation in DROP;

B = the Group B primary party's benefit calculated at the time the Group B primary party begins participation in DROP, begins to receive service retirement, dies, or becomes disabled;

P = B/A (expressed as a percentage or a decimal);

C = the number of post-retirement adjustments made to a Group B primary party's retirement pension, disability pension, or periodic disability compensation multiplied by the amount of the adjustments; and

D = the number of adjustments made to the Group B death benefit of a qualified survivor who is the primary party's spouse under Section 6.08 of this article multiplied by the amount of the adjustments.



## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D9

**Topic:** 2020 Proposed Budget

**Discussion:** Attached is the budget proposal for Calendar Year 2020. The initial reading of the budget was October 10, 2019 and the second reading of the budget was November 19, 2019.

The budget has been prepared in total for both the Combined Pension Plan and the Supplemental Plan. Total expenses are then allocated to the Supplemental Plan based upon the Group Trust allocation reported by JPMorgan.

Significant changes from the prior year budget and/or projected 2019 actual expenses are explained in the comments accompanying the proposed budget.

Proposed budget was sent to the City for comments and no comments were received. Additionally, the proposed budget was posted to [www.dpfp.org](http://www.dpfp.org) for member review prior to this meeting.

**Staff**

**Recommendation:** Approve the proposed 2020 budget.

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**DALLAS POLICE AND FIRE PENSION SYSTEM  
PROPOSED BUDGET SUMMARY  
FOR THE YEAR 2020  
DECEMBER 12, 2019 BOARD MEETING**

| Expense Type            | 2019 Budget          | 2019 Projected Actual | 2020 Proposed Budget | Variances             |               | Variances          |                 |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|---------------|--------------------|-----------------|
|                         |                      |                       |                      | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs    | 2019 Budget   | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs | 2019 Proj. Act. |
|                         |                      |                       |                      | \$                    | %             | \$                 | %               |
| Administrative Expenses | 5,814,377            | 5,080,180             | 5,713,266            | (101,111)             | (1.7%)        | 633,086            | 12.5%           |
| Investment Expenses     | 16,851,000           | 16,321,090            | 16,285,551           | (565,449)             | (3.4%)        | (35,539)           | (0.2%)          |
| Professional Expenses   | 2,189,975            | 1,517,027             | 1,581,120            | (608,855)             | (27.8%)       | 64,093             | 4.2%            |
| <b>Total</b>            | <b>\$ 24,855,352</b> | <b>\$ 22,918,297</b>  | <b>\$ 23,579,937</b> | <b>\$ (1,275,415)</b> | <b>(5.1%)</b> | <b>\$ 661,640</b>  | <b>2.9%</b>     |

| Dallas Police & Fire Pension System<br>Proposed Operating Budget<br>Calendar Year 2020 |             |                        |                      |                         |                        |   |  |
|--|-------------|------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---|--|
| Description  | 2019 Budget | 2019 Projected Actual* | 2020 Proposed Budget | \$ Change vs. 2019 Bud. | % Change vs. 2019 Bud. | \$ Change 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Proj. Actual | % Change 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Proj. Actual |
| <b>Administrative Expenses</b>   |             |                        |                      |                         |                        |   |  |
| 1 Salaries and benefits  | 3,831,889   | 3,407,653              | 3,653,766            | (178,123)               | (4.6%)                 | 246,113   | 7.2%   |
| 2 Employment Expense   | 52,275      | 1,734                  | 15,000               | (37,275)                | (71.3%)                | 13,266  | 765.1%   |
| 3 Memberships and dues   | 19,182      | 20,663                 | 19,706               | 524                     | 2.7%                   | (957)   | (4.6%)   |
| 4 Staff meetings   | 1,000       | 123                    | 1,000                | -                       | 0.0%                   | 877   | 713.0%   |
| 5 Employee service recognition   | 5,000       | 2,436                  | 5,000                | -                       | 0.0%                   | 2,564   | 105.3%   |
| 6 Member educational programs  | 2,500       | 1,500                  | 2,750                | 250                     | 10.0%                  | 1,250   | 83.3%  |
| 7 Board meetings   | 7,600       | 4,872                  | 6,420                | (1,180)                 | (15.5%)                | 1,548   | 31.8%  |
| 8 Conference registration/materials - Board  | 14,900      | 2,565                  | 11,650               | (3,250)                 | (21.8%)                | 9,085   | 354.2%   |
| 9 Travel - Board   | 32,620      | 3,993                  | 21,500               | (11,120)                | (34.1%)                | 17,507  | 438.4%   |
| 10 Conference/training registration/materials - Staff                                  | 37,500      | 5,207                  | 34,800               | (2,700)                 | (7.2%)                 | 29,593  | 568.3%   |
| 11 Travel - Staff  | 37,500      | 15,689                 | 44,500               | 7,000                   | 18.7%                  | 28,811  | 183.6%   |
| 12 Liability insurance   | 604,553     | 515,940                | 640,571              | 36,018                  | 6.0%                   | 124,631   | 24.2%  |
| 13 Communications (phone/internet)   | 55,600      | 68,243                 | 56,300               | 700                     | 1.3%                   | (11,943)  | (17.5%)  |
| 14 Information technology projects   | 70,000      | 82,397                 | 140,000              | 70,000                  | 100.0%                 | 57,603  | 69.9%  |
| 15 IT subscriptions/services/licenses  | 147,840     | 125,623                | 143,500              | (4,340)                 | (2.9%)                 | 17,877  | 14.2%  |
| 16 IT software/hardware  | 17,000      | 14,978                 | 19,500               | 2,500                   | 14.7%                  | 4,522   | 30.2%  |
| 17 Building expenses   | 365,339     | 400,688                | 405,467              | 40,128                  | 11.0%                  | 4,779   | 1.2%   |
| 18 Repairs and maintenance   | 108,249     | 92,360                 | 97,414               | (10,835)                | (10.0%)                | 5,054   | 5.5%   |
| 19 Office supplies   | 33,100      | 23,768                 | 29,350               | (3,750)                 | (11.3%)                | 5,582   | 23.5%  |
| 20 Leased equipment  | 23,900      | 22,914                 | 24,000               | 100                     | 0.4%                   | 1,086   | 4.7%   |
| 21 Postage   | 27,000      | 25,628                 | 28,200               | 1,200                   | 4.4%                   | 2,572   | 10.0%  |
| 22 Printing  | 5,110       | 1,761                  | 14,000               | 8,890                   | 174.0%                 | 12,239  | 695.0%   |
| 23 Subscriptions   | 2,140       | 698                    | 2,125                | (15)                    | (0.7%)                 | 1,427   | 204.4%   |
| 24 Records storage   | 1,320       | 1,392                  | 1,400                | 80                      | 6.1%                   | 8   | 0.6%   |
| 25 Administrative contingency reserve  | 12,000      | 519                    | 12,000               | -                       | 0.0%                   | 11,481  | 2212.1%  |
| 26 Depreciation Expense  | 248,260     | 233,603                | 240,947              | (7,313)                 | (2.9%)                 | 7,344   | 3.1%   |
| 27 Bank fees   | 3,000       | 3,233                  | 3,400                | 400                     | 13.3%                  | 167   | 5.2%   |
| <b>Investment Expenses</b>   |             |                        |                      |                         |                        |   |  |
| 28 Investment management fees  | 14,490,000  | 14,729,000             | 14,178,000           | (312,000)               | (2.2%)                 | (551,000)                                       | (3.7%)   |
| 29 Investment consultant and reporting   | 430,000     | 327,605                | 365,000              | (65,000)                | (15.1%)                | 37,395  | 11.4%  |
| 30 Bank custodian services   | 237,000     | 221,343                | 222,000              | (15,000)                | (6.3%)                 | 657   | 0.3%   |
| 31 Other portfolio operating expenses (legal, valuation, tax)                          | 1,694,000   | 1,043,142              | 1,520,551            | (173,449)               | (10.2%)                | 477,409   | 45.8%  |
| 32 Investment due diligence  | 48,000      | -                      | 39,000               | (9,000)                 | (18.8%)                | 39,000  | 100.0%   |
| <b>Professional Services Expenses</b>  |             |                        |                      |                         |                        |   |  |
| 33 Actuarial services  | 120,000     | 182,924                | 240,000              | 120,000                 | 100.0%                 | 57,076  | 31.2%  |
| 34 Accounting services   | 59,000      | 59,000                 | 60,770               | 1,770                   | 3.0%                   | 1,770   | 3.0%   |
| 35 Independent audit   | 180,000     | 165,000                | 165,000              | (15,000)                | (8.3%)                 | -   | 0.0%   |
| 36 Legal fees  | 1,300,000   | 619,295                | 550,000              | (750,000)               | (57.7%)                | (69,295)  | (11.2%)  |

| Dallas Police & Fire Pension System<br>Proposed Operating Budget<br>Calendar Year 2020 |                   |                        |                      |                         |                        |   |  |
|--|-------------------|------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|---|--|
| Description  | 2019 Budget       | 2019 Projected Actual* | 2020 Proposed Budget | \$ Change vs. 2019 Bud. | % Change vs. 2019 Bud. | \$ Change 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Proj. Actual | % Change 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Proj. Actual |
| 37 Legislative consultants   | 159,000           | 157,210                | 126,000              | (33,000)                | (20.8%)                | (31,210)  | (19.9%)  |
| 38 Public relations  | -                 | -                      | -                    | -                       | 100.0%                 | -   | 100.0%   |
| 39 Pension administration software & WMS   | 273,000           | 264,977                | 283,000              | 10,000                  | 3.7%                   | 18,023  | 6.8%   |
| 40 Business continuity   | 15,500            | 17,909                 | 26,600               | 11,100                  | 71.6%                  | 8,691   | 48.5%  |
| 41 Network security review   | 15,000            | 17,018                 | 10,000               | (5,000)                 | (33.3%)                | (7,018)   | (41.2%)  |
| 42 Network security monitoring   | -                 | -                      | 75,000               | 75,000                  | 100.0%                 | 75,000  | 100.0%   |
| 43 Disability medical evaluations  | 29,000            | 2,500                  | 9,500                | (19,500)                | (67.2%)                | 7,000   | 280.0%   |
| 44 Elections   | 15,000            | 16,452                 | 15,000               | -                       | 0.0%                   | (1,452)   | (8.8%)   |
| 45 Miscellaneous professional services   | 24,475            | 14,742                 | 20,250               | (4,225)                 | (17.3%)                | 5,508   | 37.4%  |
| <b>Total Budget</b>  | <b>24,855,352</b> | <b>22,918,297</b>      | <b>23,579,937</b>    | <b>(1,275,415)</b>      | <b>(5.1%)</b>          | <b>661,640</b>                                  | <b>2.9%</b>                                    |
| Less: Investment management fees   | 14,490,000        | 14,729,000             | 14,178,000           | (312,000)               | (2.2%)                 | (551,000)                                       | (3.7%)   |
| <b>Adjusted Budget Total</b>   | <b>10,365,352</b> | <b>8,189,297</b>       | <b>9,401,937</b>     | <b>(963,415)</b>        | <b>(9.3%)</b>          | <b>1,212,640</b>                                | <b>14.8%</b>                                   |

**SUPPLEMENTAL BUDGET**

|   |                   |                   |                   |                    |               |                |             |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------|----------------|-------------|
| <b>Total Budget ( from above)</b>             | <b>24,855,352</b> | <b>22,918,297</b> | <b>23,579,937</b> | <b>(1,275,415)</b> | <b>(5.1%)</b> | <b>661,640</b> | <b>2.9%</b> |
| Less: Allocation to Supplemental Plan Budget* | 193,872           | 201,681           | 207,503           | 13,631             | 7.0%          | 5,822          | 2.9%        |
| <b>Total Combined Pension Plan Budget</b>     | <b>24,661,480</b> | <b>22,716,616</b> | <b>23,372,434</b> | <b>(1,289,046)</b> | <b>(5.2%)</b> | <b>655,818</b> | <b>2.9%</b> |

\* Projected based on preliminary 8/31/19 YTD annualized

\*\* Allocation to Supplemental is based on JPM allocation between accounts as of 8/31/19 of .0088%

0.88% per JPM Unitization report as of 8/31/19

**Significant Budget Changes - 2020**  
**Budget Changes (>5% and \$10K)**  
**SORTED BY THE \$ CHANGE FROM 2019 BUDGET TO 2020 PROPOSED BUDGET**

|                    | 2019   | 2019               | 2020            | \$ Change                     | % Change                      | \$ Change                           | % Change                            |             |   |
|--------------------|--|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|---|
| Item               | Budget   | Projected Actual** | Proposed Budget | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Bud. | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Bud. | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Proj. Act. | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Proj. Act. | Explanation |   |
| <b>INCREASES:</b>  |  |                    |                 |                               |                               |                                     |                                     |             |   |
| 1                  | Actuarial services   | 120,000            | 182,924         | 240,000                       | 120,000                       | 100.0%                              | 57,076                              | 31.2%       | Increase primarily related to the 5 year experience study to be completed in 2020 (\$70k) along with supplemental and specialized work.   |
| 2                  | Network security monitoring                                | -                  | -               | 75,000                        | 75,000                        | 100.0%                              | 75,000                              | 100.0%      | New service to detect, analyze and respond to security events 24x7x365 using advanced security events filtration, de-duplication and correlation technologies. Cost will decrease to \$50k beginning in the second year.  |
| 3                  | Information technology projects                            | 70,000             | 82,397          | 140,000                       | 70,000                        | 100.0%                              | 57,603                              | 69.9%       | Four projects planned for the year including firewall and phone system replacement and domain upgrade. All projects under the \$50k capitalization level.   |
| 4                  | Building expenses  | 365,339            | 400,688         | 405,467                       | 40,128                        | 11.0%                               | 4,779                               | 1.2%        | Increased property taxes for the 3rd and 4th floor expected in 2020. HVAC and leasing expenses not budgeted in 2019, approx. \$30k.   |
| 5                  | Liability insurance  | 604,553            | 515,940         | 640,571                       | 36,018                        | 6.0%                                | 124,631                             | 24.2%       | Initial renewal inquiries point to an increase in premiums on all policies. The 2019 actual projection vs. 2020 proposed budget variance is related to a one time change in the premium year resulting in only 11 months of expense in 2019. Additionally, 2019 premiums were lower than initially quoted renewals. |
| 6                  | Business continuity  | 15,500             | 17,909          | 26,600                        | 11,100                        | 71.6%                               | 8,691                               | 48.5%       | Includes new item of server replication replacing VMware subscription service - \$9,600.  |
| <b>REDUCTIONS:</b> |  |                    |                 |                               |                               |                                     |                                     |             |   |
| 7                  | Legal fees   | 1,300,000          | 619,295         | 550,000                       | (750,000)                     | (57.7%)                             | (69,295)                            | (11.2%)     | Significant decrease in budget from 2019. Continued expenses from the Degan and Actuary cases along with new potential case filings in 2020.  |
| 8                  | Other portfolio operating expenses (legal, valuation, tax) | 1,694,000          | 1,043,142       | 1,520,551                     | (173,449)                     | (10.2%)                             | 477,409                             | 45.8%       | Some tail end expenses forecast in 2019 were not incurred. 2020 expense forecast increased over actual as more tail end services are expected during the year.  |
| 9                  | Investment consultant and reporting                        | 430,000            | 327,605         | 365,000                       | (65,000)                      | (15.1%)                             | 37,395                              | 11.4%       | HB322 legislature requires an independent investment review in 2020. The initial quote for this review in \$30k.  |
| 10                 | Employment Expense   | 52,275             | 1,734           | 15,000                        | (37,275)                      | (71.3%)                             | 13,266                              | 765.1%      | Expenses reduced in 2019 because only one position was filled. Only one position forecast for 2020.   |
| 11                 | Legislative consultants                                    | 159,000            | 157,210         | 126,000                       | (33,000)                      | (20.8%)                             | (31,210)                            | (19.9%)     | Legislature not planned to be in session 2020. Cost is lower when legislature is not in session.  |
| 12                 | Disability medical evaluations                             | 29,000             | 2,500           | 9,500                         | (19,500)                      | (67.2%)                             | 7,000                               | 280.0%      | 2019 forecast was for 7 new disabilities, 2 special needs children and 3 recalls. One new disability evaluation so far for 2019. Three disability and one child evaluation forecast for 2020.   |
| 13                 | Bank custodian services                                    | 237,000            | 221,343         | 222,000                       | (15,000)                      | (6.3%)                              | 657                                 | 0.3%        | Fewer investment accounts than projected for JPM to manage in 2019 resulted in reduced fees. No significant change for 2020.  |
| 14                 | Independent audit  | 180,000            | 165,000         | 165,000                       | (15,000)                      | (8.3%)                              | -                                   | 0.0%        | Reduced 2020 forecast as current budget has been sufficient to cover the audit, and reviews for appraisals and tail end funds.  |
| 15                 | Travel - Board   | 32,620             | 3,993           | 21,500                        | (11,120)                      | (34.1%)                             | 17,507                              | 438.4%      | Less board travel than expected in 2019. Expected travel in 2020 is projected to be less than in prior years.   |
| 16                 | Repairs and maintenance                                    | 108,249            | 92,360          | 97,414                        | (10,835)                      | (10.0%)                             | 5,054                               | 5.5%        | Less equipment (Phone, AV, printers, etc.) repairs than forecast in 2019. Slight Increase in 2020 forecast over 2019 projected expenses as more building repairs are expected.  |

\*\* Projected based on 8/31/19 Prelim YTD annualized

**Significant Budget Changes - 2020**  
**Budget Changes (>5% and \$10K)**  
**SORTED BY THE \$ CHANGE FROM 2019 PROJECTED ACTUAL TO 2020 PROPOSED BUDGET**

|                    | 2019   | 2019               | 2020            | \$ Change                     | % Change                      | \$ Change                           | % Change                            |             |   |
|--------------------|--|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|---|
| Item               | Budget   | Projected Actual** | Proposed Budget | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Bud. | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Bud. | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Proj. Act. | 2020 Prop. Bud. vs. 2019 Proj. Act. | Explanation |   |
| <b>INCREASES:</b>  |  |                    |                 |                               |                               |                                     |                                     |             |   |
| 1                  | Other portfolio operating expenses (legal, valuation, tax) | 1,694,000          | 1,043,142       | 1,520,551                     | (173,449)                     | (10.2%)                             | 477,409                             | 45.8%       | Some tail end expenses forecast in 2019 were not incurred. 2020 expense forecast increased over actual as more tail end services are expected during the year.  |
| 2                  | Salaries and benefits                                      | 3,831,889          | 3,407,653       | 3,653,766                     | (178,123)                     | (4.6%)                              | 246,113                             | 7.2%        | Four positions forecasted for 2019 were not filled. One position is being forecasted for 2020 along with the 2019 position addition for a full year.  |
| 3                  | Liability insurance  | 604,553            | 515,940         | 640,571                       | 36,018                        | 6.0%                                | 124,631                             | 24.2%       | Initial renewal inquiries point to an increase in premiums on all policies. The 2019 actual projection vs. 2020 proposed budget variance is related to a one time change in the premium year resulting in only 11 months of expense in 2019. Additionally, 2019 premiums were lower than initially quoted renewals. |
| 4                  | Network security monitoring                                | -                  | -               | 75,000                        | 75,000                        | 100.0%                              | 75,000                              | 100.0%      | New service to detect, analyze and respond to security events 24x7x365 using advanced security events filtration, de-duplication and correlation technologies. Cost will decrease to \$50k beginning in the second year.  |
| 5                  | Information technology projects                            | 70,000             | 82,397          | 140,000                       | 70,000                        | 100.0%                              | 57,603                              | 69.9%       | Four projects planned for the year including firewall and phone system replacement and domain upgrade. All projects under the \$50k capitalization level.   |
| 6                  | Actuarial services   | 120,000            | 182,924         | 240,000                       | 120,000                       | 100.0%                              | 57,076                              | 31.2%       | Increase primarily related to the 5 year experience study to be completed in 2020 (\$70k) along with supplemental and specialized work.   |
| 7                  | Investment due diligence                                   | 48,000             | -               | 39,000                        | (9,000)                       | (18.8%)                             | 39,000                              | 100.0%      | Forecast for software Evestment and due diligence travel.   |
| 8                  | Investment consultant and reporting                        | 430,000            | 327,605         | 365,000                       | (65,000)                      | (15.1%)                             | 37,395                              | 11.4%       | SB322 legislature requires an independent investment review in 2020. The initial quote for this review is \$30k.  |
| 9                  | Conference/training registration/material                  | 37,500             | 5,207           | 34,800                        | (2,700)                       | (7.2%)                              | 29,593                              | 568.3%      | Returning to a more normal staff training schedule in 2020 along with some additional cross training planned.   |
| 10                 | Travel - Staff   | 37,500             | 15,689          | 44,500                        | 7,000                         | 18.7%                               | 28,811                              | 183.6%      | Returning to a more normal staff training schedule in 2020 which will require some travel. Additionally, some planned cross training will require some travel.  |
| 11                 | Pension administration software & WM                       | 273,000            | 264,977         | 283,000                       | 10,000                        | 3.7%                                | 18,023                              | 6.8%        | Increased maintenance cost for Pension Gold and Web Member Services portal.   |
| 12                 | IT subscriptions/services/licenses                         | 147,840            | 125,623         | 143,500                       | (4,340)                       | (2.9%)                              | 17,877                              | 14.2%       | YOY budget down slightly. Network security monitoring initiative will require some additional software - \$15K. Desktop outsourcing and other subscriptions less than forecast in 2019.   |
| 13                 | Travel - Board   | 32,620             | 3,993           | 21,500                        | (11,120)                      | (34.1%)                             | 17,507                              | 438.4%      | Less board travel than expected in 2019. Expected travel in 2020 is projected to be less than in prior years.   |
| 14                 | Employment Expense   | 52,275             | 1,734           | 15,000                        | (37,275)                      | (71.3%)                             | 13,266                              | 765.1%      | Expenses reduced in 2019 because only one position was filled. Only one position forecast for 2020.   |
| 15                 | Printing   | 5,110              | 1,761           | 14,000                        | 8,890                         | 174.0%                              | 12,239                              | 695.0%      | Approximately 2,500 updated member handbooks are forecast for printing in 2020.   |
| 16                 | Administrative contingency reserve                         | 12,000             | 519             | 12,000                        | -                             | 0.0%                                | 11,481                              | 2212.1%     | Contingency reserve.  |
| <b>REDUCTIONS:</b> |  |                    |                 |                               |                               |                                     |                                     |             |   |
| 17                 | Legal fees   | 1,300,000          | 619,295         | 550,000                       | (750,000)                     | (57.7%)                             | (69,295)                            | (11.2%)     | Significant decrease in budget from 2019. Continued expenses from the Degan and Actuary cases along with new potential case filings in 2020.  |
| 18                 | Legislative consultants                                    | 159,000            | 157,210         | 126,000                       | (33,000)                      | (20.8%)                             | (31,210)                            | (19.9%)     | Legislature not planned to be in session 2020. Cost is lower when legislature is not in session.  |
| 19                 | Communications (phone/internet)                            | 55,600             | 68,243          | 56,300                        | 700                           | 1.3%                                | (11,943)                            | (17.5%)     | LD contract expired in 2019 which resulted in increased costs. New contract signed and 2020 costs are expected to be lower.   |

\*\* Projected based on 8/31/19 Prelim YTD annualized



## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D10

**Topic:** Funding Policy

**Discussion:** Senate Bill 2224 was adopted by the Texas Legislature in 2019 and requires that the Board adopt a funding policy that details the Board's plan for achieving a funded ratio for DPF that is equal to or greater than 100 percent.

The draft policy was presented at the November Board meeting. The draft policy presented in November has been reformatted to conform with other DPF policies, but the content has not changed.

By law, the Funding Policy must be adopted prior to January 1, 2020.

**Staff Recommendation:** **Adopt** the Funding Policy for the Combined Pension Plan.

*Regular Board Meeting – Thursday, December 12, 2019*





**FUNDING POLICY  
COMBINED PENSION PLAN**

DRAFT

**Adopted December 12, 2019**

# **DALLAS POLICE & FIRE PENSION SYSTEM**

## **FUNDING POLICY**

### **COMBINED PENSION PLAN**

**Adopted December 12, 2019**

#### **A. Introduction**

This funding policy outlines a formal long-term strategy for financing the pension obligations accruing under the Dallas Police and Fire Pension System Combined Plan with the goal of achieving an actuarial funded ratio that is equal to or greater than 100%, as required by Texas Government Code §802.2011.

This policy is subject to the authority granted to the Board of Trustees under Article 6243a-1 of the Texas Revised Civil Statutes (the “Statute”). It was contemplated when HB 3158 was passed, and the Statutes reflect that in 2024 an analysis will be conducted to assess the adequacy of the funding of Plan and, if necessary, changes may be made at that time. Therefore, this policy creates a framework for proactively managing risks by outlining how the Board will approach future changes to benefit and contributions levels under different conditions in advance of the 2024 analysis. In the event this policy conflicts with any statutory language, the statute shall prevail.

#### **B. Funding Priorities**

The primary funding priorities are to:

1. Ensure the security of accrued benefits by making certain contributions and assets are sufficient to pay benefits when due.
2. Limit the volatility of contribution rates for both the members of Dallas Police and Fire Pension System (“DPFP”) and the City of Dallas, consistent with other funding objectives.
3. Ensure that each generation of members and taxpayers incurs the cost of benefits for the employees who provide services to them, rather than deferring those costs to future members and taxpayers;
4. Provide a reasonable margin for adverse experience to help offset risks.
5. Continue progress of systematic reduction of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.

#### **C. Funding Objectives**

The system’s funding objective is to achieve a funded ratio of 100% or more by 2045.



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#### **D. Actuarial Methods**

The Board uses the following actuarial methods for purposes of actuarial valuations and the determination of the benchmark Actuarial Determined Contribution (ADC):

1. **Cost Method**  
The individual entry age normal actuarial cost method.
2. **Asset Smoothing**  
A five-year asset smoothing period where 20% of any gain or loss is recognized in each subsequent year.
3. **Amortization Policy**  
The amortization payment will be calculated as a level percent of payroll using a 30-year amortization of unfunded actuarially accrued liability.

#### **E. Actuarial Assumptions Guidelines**

A comprehensive experience study will be completed at least once every 5 years with possible review of individual assumptions more frequently, based on advice from the system's actuary. All assumptions will be determined based on actuarial standards of practice taking into account both actual experience and reasonable future expectations.

#### **F. Actuarially Determined Contribution Benchmark**

This policy has outlined a benchmark ADC for establishing a path towards achieving the goal of 100% funding. The following will trigger the Board to act to adjust or recommend adjustments to benefit and/or contribution levels.

The Board will notify the City of Dallas upon receipt of two actuarial valuations showing the actual contribution is varies from the ADC by more than 2%. In such a case, if the actual contributions are under the ADC by more than 2%, with a two-thirds vote of the Board, the Board will recommend an increase in City contribution rates. If the actual contributions are 2% over the ADC, with a two-thirds vote of the Board, and if the reduction does not extend the funding period, the Board may recommend a decrease in the City's contribution rate. If the actual rate is within 2% of the ADC, no change is required to be recommended.



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## **G. Consideration of Plan Modifications**

### **1. Guidelines for Future Reductions in Contributions**

With a two-thirds vote of the Board and agreement of the City, the City contributions may be lowered only if the reduction does not increase the period to amortize the unfunded liability (6243a-1, 4.02(b)(3)). The Statute does not provide authority for the Board to lower member contribution rates. Once there is no longer an unfunded liability, the contribution rates of both the City and DPF members are adjusted based on the Statute.

### **2. Guidelines for Future Benefit Enhancements**

The Statute specifically controls the criteria for granting a cost of living adjustment, the reduction of the retirement age and reducing the amortization period of the DROP annuities. For all other benefit enhancements not specifically mentioned in the Statute, the Statute allows the Board to enhance benefits only if after taking the enhancement into consideration the funding period does not exceed 25 years.

## **H. Risk-Sharing Mechanisms**

The Board has determined that the key risk facing the system is when actual experience diverges from actuarial assumptions, resulting in actuarial losses. The normal cost rate for future members is less than the current member contribution rates, so the Board does not believe it is appropriate to either increase member contribution rates or decrease benefits to decrease the unfunded liability through 2024. If necessary, the City's contribution rate would need to be increased through 2024. During 2024, the Statute requires that an independent actuary perform an analysis to determine if DPF meets State Pension Review Board pension funding guidelines and, if not, recommend changes to benefits or to member or city contribution rates. Not later than November 1, 2024, the DPF Board is required adopt a plan that complies with funding and amortization period requirements under Section 802 of the Government Code and takes into consideration the independent actuary's recommendations.

## **I. Review of Funding Policy**

This policy may be amended from time-to-time to reflect changes in other Board policies, emerging best practices for public defined benefit pension plans, prevailing opinions of future Board members, and suggested changes by system stakeholders.



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**J. Effective Date**

APPROVED on December 12, 2019 by the Board of Trustees of the Dallas Police and Fire Pension System.

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William F. Quinn  
Chairman

**ATTEST:**

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Kelly Gottschalk  
Secretary





**FUNDING POLICY  
SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION PLAN**

DRAFT

**Adopted December 12, 2019**

**DALLAS POLICE & FIRE PENSION SYSTEM**  
**FUNDING POLICY**  
**SUPPLEMENTAL PENSION PLAN**

**Adopted December 12, 2019**

**A. Introduction**

This funding policy outlines a formal long-term strategy for financing the pension obligations accruing under the Dallas Police and Fire Pension System Combined Plan with the goal of achieving an actuarial funded ratio that is equal to or greater than 100%, as required by Texas Government Code §802.2011.

This policy is limited by the authority granted to the Board of trustees under Article 6243a-1 of the Texas Civil Statutes and City Ordinance number 23861. Therefore, this document creates a framework for proactively managing risks by outlining how the Board will approach future changes to benefit and contributions levels under different conditions. In the event this policy conflicts with any statutory language, the statute shall prevail.

**B. Funding Priorities**

The primary funding priorities are to:

1. Ensure the security of accrued benefits by making certain contributions and assets are sufficient to pay benefits when due.
2. Ensure that each generation of members and taxpayers incurs the cost of benefits for the employees who provide services to them, rather than deferring those costs to future members and taxpayers;
3. Provide a reasonable margin for adverse experience to help offset risks.
4. Continue progress of systematic reduction of the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.

**C. Funding Objectives**

The system's funding objective is to achieve a funded ratio of 100% or more by 2030.

**D. Actuarial Methods**

The Board uses the following actuarial methods for purposes of actuarial valuations and the determination of the benchmark Actuarial Determined Contribution (ADC):

**1. Cost Method**

The individual entry age normal actuarial cost method.



**D. Actuarial Methods (continued)**

**2. Asset Smoothing**

Market value of assets with no asset smoothing.

**3. Amortization Policy**

The amortization payment will be calculated as a level percent of payroll using a rolling 10-year amortization of unfunded actuarially accrued liability.

**E. Actuarial Assumptions Guidelines**

A comprehensive experience study will be completed at least once every 5 years with possible review of individual assumptions more frequently, based on advice from the system's actuary. All assumptions will be determined based on actuarial standards of practice taking into account both actual experience and reasonable future expectations.

**F. Actuarially Determined Contribution**

The City contributes the ADC annually.

**G. Consideration of Plan Modifications**

**1. Guidelines for Future Reductions in Contributions**

With a two-thirds vote of the Board and agreement of the City, the City contributions may be lowered only if the reduction does not increase the period to amortize the unfunded liability (6243a-1, 4.02(b)(3)). The Statute does not provide authority for the Board to lower member contribution rates. Once there is no longer an unfunded liability, the contribution rates of both the City and DFPF members are adjusted based on the Statute.

**2. Guidelines for Future Benefit Enhancements**

The Statute specifically controls the criteria for granting a cost of living adjustment, the reduction of the retirement age and reducing the amortization period of the DROP annuities. For all other benefit enhancements not specifically mentioned in the Statute, the Statute allows the Board to enhance benefits only if after taking the enhancement into consideration the funding period does not exceed 25 years.





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## **H. Risk-Sharing Mechanisms**

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## **I. Review of Funding Policy**

This policy may be amended from time-to-time to reflect changes in other Board policies, emerging best practices for public defined benefit pension plans, prevailing opinions of future Board members, and suggested changes by system stakeholders.

## **J. Effective Date**

APPROVED on December 12, 2019 by the Board of Trustees of the Dallas Police and Fire Pension System.

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William F. Quinn  
Chairman

**ATTEST:**

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Kelly Gottschalk  
Secretary





## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D11

**Topic:** Report on Professional Services Committee

**Discussion:** According to the Committee Policy and Procedure, the Professional Services Committee is responsible for meeting privately with the external service providers, without DPF staff present, at minimum on an annual basis. The purpose of such a meeting is to provide a forum for the service provider to provide candid comments to the Professional Services Committee.

The Professional Service Committee had a phone meeting with Chuck Campbell of Jackson Walker LLP in December.

**Staff**

**Recommendation:** The Professional Services Committee shall **report** to the Board any material comments and **recommend** to the Board any appropriate actions needed as a result of the meeting with Jackson Walker.

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## **DISCUSSION SHEET**

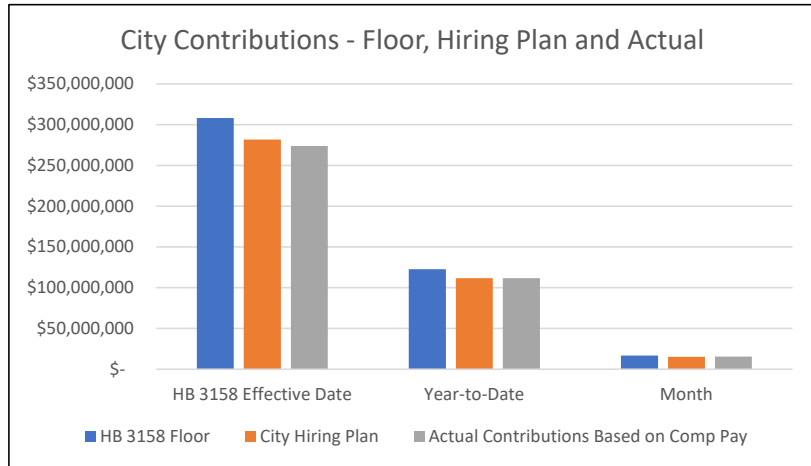
### **ITEM #D12**

**Topic:** Monthly Contribution Report

**Discussion:** Staff will review the Monthly Contribution Report.

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**Contribution Tracking Summary - December 2019 (October 2019 Data)**



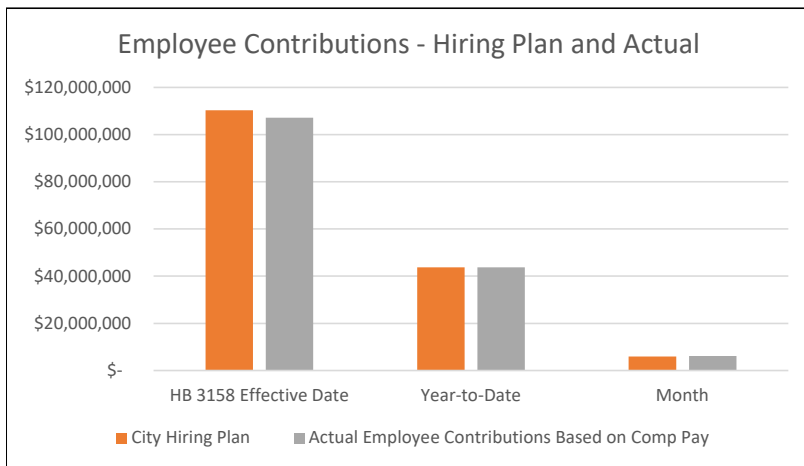
Actual Comp Pay was 97% of the Hiring Plan estimate since the effective date of HB 3158.

In the most recent month Actual Comp Pay was 102% of the Hiring Plan estimate and 93% of the floor amount.

The Hiring Plan Comp Pay estimate increased by 5.22% in 2019.

Through 2024 the HB 3158 Floor is in place so there is no City Contribution shortfall.

The combined actual hiring was exactly the same number as the Hiring Plan for the pay period ending November 12, 2019. Fire was over the estimate by 65 fire fighters and Police was short 65 officers.



Since the effective date of HB 3158 actual employee contributions have been \$3.2 million less than the Hiring Plan estimate. Potential earnings loss due to the contribution shortfall is \$391k at the Assumed Rate of Return.

Employee contributions exceeded the Hiring Plan estimate for the month and the year.

There is no Floor on employee contributions.



**Reference Information**

| City Contributions: HB 3158 Bi-weekly Floor and the City Hiring Plan Converted to Bi-weekly Contributions |                         |                            |   |                                 |                                     |   |
|---|-------------------------|----------------------------|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|
|   | HB 3158 Bi-weekly Floor | City Hiring Plan-Bi-weekly | HB 3158 Floor Compared to the Hiring Plan | Hiring Plan as a % of the Floor | % Increase/ (decrease) in the Floor | % Increase/ (decrease) in the Hiring Plan |
| 2017  | \$ 5,173,000            | \$ 4,936,154               | \$ 236,846                                | 95%                             |                                     |   |
| 2018  | \$ 5,344,000            | \$ 4,830,000               | \$ 514,000                                | 90%                             | 3.31%                               | -2.15%                                    |
| 2019  | \$ 5,571,000            | \$ 5,082,115               | \$ 488,885                                | 91%                             | 4.25%                               | 5.22%                                     |
| 2020  | \$ 5,724,000            | \$ 5,254,615               | \$ 469,385                                | 92%                             | 2.75%                               | 3.39%                                     |
| 2021  | \$ 5,882,000            | \$ 5,413,846               | \$ 468,154                                | 92%                             | 2.76%                               | 3.03%                                     |
| 2022  | \$ 6,043,000            | \$ 5,599,615               | \$ 443,385                                | 93%                             | 2.74%                               | 3.43%                                     |
| 2023  | \$ 5,812,000            | \$ 5,811,923               | \$ 77                                     | 100%                            | -3.82%                              | 3.79%                                     |
| 2024  | \$ 6,024,000            | \$ 6,024,231               | \$ (231)                                  | 100%                            | 3.65%                               | 3.65%                                     |

*The HB 3158 Bi-weekly Floor ends after 2024*

| Employee Contributions: City Hiring Plan and Actuarial Val. Converted to Bi-weekly Contributions |  |  |   |  |
|--|--|--|---|--|
|  | City Hiring Plan Converted to Bi-weekly Employee Contributions | Actuarial Valuation Assumption Converted to Bi-weekly Employee contributions | Actuarial Valuation as a % of Hiring Plan |  |
| 2017   | \$ 1,931,538   | \$ 1,931,538   | 100%                                      |  |
| 2018   | \$ 1,890,000   | \$ 1,796,729   | 95%                                       |  |
| 2019   | \$ 1,988,654   | \$ 1,885,417   | 95%                                       |  |
| 2020   | \$ 2,056,154   | \$ 2,056,154   | 100%                                      |  |
| 2021   | \$ 2,118,462   | \$ 2,118,462   | 100%                                      |  |
| 2022   | \$ 2,191,154   | \$ 2,191,154   | 100%                                      |  |
| 2023   | \$ 2,274,231   | \$ 2,274,231   | 100%                                      |  |
| 2024   | \$ 2,357,308   | \$ 2,357,308   | 100%                                      |  |

The information on this page is for reference. The only numbers on this page that may change before 2025 are the Actuarial Valuation Employee Contributions Assumptions for the years 2020-2024 and the associated percentage.

**Reference Information - Actuarial Valuation and GASB 67/68 Contribution Assumptions**

**Actuarial Assumptions Used in the Most Recent Actuarial Valuation - These assumptions will be reevaluated annually & may change.**

City Contributions are based on the Floor through 2024, the Hiring Plan from 2025 to 2037, after 2037 an annual growth rate of 2.75% is assumed  
 Employee Contributions for 2018 are based on the 2017 actual employee contributions inflated by the growth rate of 2.75% and the Hiring Plan for subsequent years until 2038, when the 2037 Hiring Plan is increased by the 2.75 growth rate for the next 10 years

**Actuarial/GASB Contribution Assumption Changes Since the Passage of HB 3158**

|   | Actuarial Valuation | GASB 67/68 |
|---|---------------------|------------|
| <b>YE 2017 (1/1/2018 Valuation)</b>   |                     |            |
| 2018 Employee Contributions Assumption - based on 2017 actual plus growth rate not the Hiring Plan Payroll  | \$ (2,425,047)      | *          |
| <b>2019 Estimate (1/1/2019 Valuation)</b>   |                     |            |
| 2019 Employee Contribution Assumption   | \$ 9,278            | *          |
| *90% of Hiring Plan was used for the Cash Flow Projection for future years in the 12/31/2017 GASB 67/68 calculation. At 12-31-17 and 12-31-18 this did not impact the pension liability or the funded percentage. |                     |            |

The information on this page is for reference. It is intended to document contribution related assumptions used to prepare the Actuarial Valuation and changes to those assumptions over time, including the dollar impact of the changes. Contribution changes impacting the GASB 67/68 liability will also be included.

| <b>City Hiring Plan - Annual Computation Pay and Numbers of Employees</b> |                 |                |                 |                     |            |            |
|---|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------|------------|
| Year  | Computation Pay |                |                 | Number of Employees |            |            |
|   | Hiring Plan     | Actual         | Difference      | Hiring Plan         | Actual EOY | Difference |
| 2017  | \$ 372,000,000  | Not Available  | Not Available   | 5,240               | 4,935      | (305)      |
| 2018  | \$ 364,000,000  | \$ 349,885,528 | \$ (14,114,472) | 4,988               | 4,983      | (5)        |
| 2019  | \$ 383,000,000  |                |                 | 5,038               |            |            |
| 2020  | \$ 396,000,000  |                |                 | 5,063               |            |            |
| 2021  | \$ 408,000,000  |                |                 | 5,088               |            |            |
| 2022  | \$ 422,000,000  |                |                 | 5,113               |            |            |
| 2023  | \$ 438,000,000  |                |                 | 5,163               |            |            |
| 2024  | \$ 454,000,000  |                |                 | 5,213               |            |            |
| 2025  | \$ 471,000,000  |                |                 | 5,263               |            |            |
| 2026  | \$ 488,000,000  |                |                 | 5,313               |            |            |
| 2027  | \$ 507,000,000  |                |                 | 5,363               |            |            |
| 2028  | \$ 525,000,000  |                |                 | 5,413               |            |            |
| 2029  | \$ 545,000,000  |                |                 | 5,463               |            |            |
| 2030  | \$ 565,000,000  |                |                 | 5,513               |            |            |
| 2031  | \$ 581,000,000  |                |                 | 5,523               |            |            |
| 2032  | \$ 597,000,000  |                |                 | 5,523               |            |            |
| 2033  | \$ 614,000,000  |                |                 | 5,523               |            |            |
| 2034  | \$ 631,000,000  |                |                 | 5,523               |            |            |
| 2035  | \$ 648,000,000  |                |                 | 5,523               |            |            |
| 2036  | \$ 666,000,000  |                |                 | 5,523               |            |            |
| 2037  | \$ 684,000,000  |                |                 | 5,523               |            |            |

| Comp Pay by Month - 2019 | Annual Divided by 26 Pay Periods | Actual        | Difference   | 2019 Cumulative Difference | Number of Employees EOM | Difference |
|--------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------|--------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|------------|
| January                  | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ 29,084,185 | \$ (377,354) | \$ (377,354)               | 4963                    | (75)       |
| February                 | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ 29,067,129 | \$ (394,410) | \$ (771,763)               | 4974                    | (64)       |
| March                    | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ 29,092,504 | \$ (369,035) | \$ (1,140,798)             | 4962                    | (76)       |
| April                    | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ 28,974,912 | \$ (486,626) | \$ (1,627,424)             | 4955                    | (83)       |
| May                      | \$ 44,192,308                    | \$ 43,987,516 | \$ (204,791) | \$ (1,832,216)             | 4955                    | (83)       |
| June                     | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ 29,322,734 | \$ (138,804) | \$ (1,971,020)             | 4938                    | (100)      |
| July                     | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ 29,651,997 | \$ 190,458   | \$ (1,780,561)             | 5027                    | (11)       |
| August                   | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ 29,823,067 | \$ 361,529   | \$ (1,419,033)             | 5016                    | (22)       |
| September                | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ 29,912,255 | \$ 450,717   | \$ (968,316)               | 5042                    | 4          |
| October                  | \$ 44,192,308                    | \$ 45,226,457 | \$ 1,034,149 | \$ 65,833                  | 5038                    | -          |
| November                 | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ -          |              | \$ 65,833                  |                         |            |
| December                 | \$ 29,461,538                    | \$ -          |              | \$ 65,833                  |                         |            |





## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D13

**Topic:** Board approval of Trustee education and travel

- a. Future Education and Business-related Travel
- b. Future Investment-related Travel

**Discussion:**

- a. Per the Education and Travel Policy and Procedure, planned Trustee education and business-related travel and education which does not involve travel requires Board approval prior to attendance.

Attached is a listing of requested future education and travel noting approval status.

- b. Per the Investment Policy Statement, planned Trustee travel related to investment monitoring, and in exceptional cases due diligence, requires Board approval prior to attendance.

There is no future investment-related travel for Trustees at this time.

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**Future Education and Business Related Travel  
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ATTENDING APPROVED

1. **Conference:** NCPERS 2020 Legislative Conference  
**Dates:** January 26–28, 2020  
**Location:** Washington, DC  
**Est. Cost:** TBD
  
2. **Conference:** TEXPERS Basic Trustee Training  
**Dates:** May 2, 2020  
**Location:** Galveston, TX  
**Est. Cost:** TBD
  
3. **Conference:** TEXPERS Advanced Trustee Training  
**Dates:** May 2, 2020  
**Location:** Galveston, TX  
**Est. Cost:** TBD
  
4. **Conference:** TEXPERS 31st Annual Conference  
**Dates:** May 3-6, 2020  
**Location:** Galveston, TX  
**Est. Cost:** TBD

ATTENDING APPROVED

5. **Conference:** NCPERS Trustee Education Seminar (TEDS)  
**Dates:** May 9 – 10, 2020  
**Location:** Las Vegas, NV  
**Est. Cost:** TBD
  
6. **Conference:** NCPERS Annual Conference  
**Dates:** May 10 – 13, 2020  
**Location:** Las Vegas, TX  
**Est. Cost:** TBD
  
7. **Conference:** TEXPERS Summer Education Forum  
**Dates:** August 16-18, 2020  
**Location:** San Antonio, TX  
**Est. Cost:** TBD



## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D14

**Topic:** Pension Obligation Bonds

**Discussion:** Staff provided a presentation to the Board on Pension Obligation Bonds (POB) in April 2019. Part of the presentation included an impact analysis on the Plan funding level and the years to full funding under four scenarios: two sizes of POB issuances and for each size, reducing City contributions and not reducing the City contributions for the annual debt service.

In responding to questions posed in an email from Mr. French, the City's CFO Ms. Reich, referred to the structure of the POBs issued previously by the City for the Dallas Employees Retirement Fund (ERF) where contributions were reduced by the amount of the debt service. The impact analysis slides from the April 2019 presentation are being provided to the Board so the Board has the context of potential funding implications.

A full discussion and updated POB presentation is planned for 2020.

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**From:** [rob.french](#)  
**Sent:** Monday, December 2, 2019 9:20 AM  
**To:** Kelly Gottschalk  
**Subject:** FW: Dallas Police and Fire Pension Fund-> Trustee Question

Kelly,

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I hope you had a wonderful Thanksgiving! Do you have the distro list for the board? I'd like to forward this out to everyone for their situational awareness.

Thank you,

**Rob French**

**From:** Reich, Elizabeth  
**Sent:** Monday, December 2, 2019 9:10 AM  
**To:** FRENCH, ROB /OE1132 /GA074  
**Cc:** Kelly Gottschalk; Kowalski, Sheri P; Ireland, Jack  
**Subject:** Re: Dallas Police and Fire Pension Fund-> Trustee Question

Rob,

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Thank you for your follow up email and for your service as a Trustee for the Dallas Police and Fire Pension. I appreciate all that you and your fellow Trustees are doing to appropriately oversee and govern the Pension, including rebalancing the portfolio and selling the illiquid and underperforming assets.

I have considered your question very carefully. As you know, the City is complying with the statute as we carefully negotiated in HB 3158. We are fully adhering to our funding obligations, as we have done throughout the history of DPFP. As you also know, the law requires that in 2024, we obtain an independent review of the pension and determine next steps at that time. Until then, the City is not in a position to provide funding above what is required in the statute.

That being said, you asked about financial capacity for Pension Obligation Bonds (POB) and my response is that, yes, we have the capacity. Let me explain how. Although I would not support POBs because they are inadvisable and against the municipal finance community's [best practice guidance](#), if the DPFP Board decided to pursue POBs and the City Council agreed, we could potentially structure an agreement similar to the one we have with the ERF. We would pay the debt service on the POBs using the money that we are required by law to pay into the pension. With the ERF, each year the employer contribution percent is adjusted by the amount of our debt payment on the POB. In total, the City contribution would match that required by the statute. For purposes of this

email, I am assuming that such an arrangement would be possible under the current statute, since we are not revisiting the statute prior to the independent review in 2024. This approach would not affect the City's long-range capital financial plan.

If this is something the Board would like to pursue, we can work together to understand the legal requirements for such an arrangement so that I can explain it to the City Council and obtain their feedback prior to moving forward.

Thank you again for your service,  
Elizabeth

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**From:** [rob.french](#)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, November 20, 2019 11:13 AM  
**To:** Reich, Elizabeth  
**Cc:** [kellyG](#)  
**Subject:** Dallas Police and Fire Pension Fund-> Trustee Question

Good Morning Ms. Reich,

It has been two months since we last spoke about the questions below. Has your team been able to put together a thoughtful response? Your team's input would be extremely helpful in shaping the board's discussions moving forward.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

**Rob French**

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**From:** Reich, Elizabeth  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 18, 2019 12:03 PM  
**To:** Kelly Gottschalk  
**Cc:** Robert French  
**Subject:** RE: Question for Ms Reich

Thank you, Kelly and Rob. I will need some time to put together a thoughtful response. We certainly do not have that capacity for several years, and with billions of dollars in unfunded/deferred needs on our streets, facilities, and infrastructure list, there is more than enough need for any capacity we have.

I will work with my team to review the capacity and timing and get back with you.

Elizabeth

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**From:** Kelly Gottschalk  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 18, 2019 11:33 AM  
**To:** Reich, Elizabeth  
**Cc:** Robert French  
**Subject:** FW: Question for Ms Reich

Hello Elizabeth,

Rob French, our newest Board member, asked that I forward the following questions to you. Rob is copied on this email so you can respond to him directly, however, I would appreciate being copied on your response since I am interested in the answers to his questions.

Thank you,

Kelly

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**From:** Rob French  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 18, 2019 11:23 AM  
**To:** Kelly Gottschalk  
**Subject:** Question for Ms Reich

Good Morning Kelly,

Please forward this question to Ms. Reich on the board's behalf. If you could CC'd me as well that would be great.

Thank you Ms. Reich for coming to speak to the DPFP System's Board last week. We very much appreciate your straight forward answers and truthful candor. I wanted to follow-up to your offer to ask additional questions via email. My question is:

- 1) Hypothetically: Does the City of Dallas have the financial capacity to issue a 250-500 million dollar Pension Obligation Bond if the DPFP Fund had a dire need for the funding? Not asking if it is a priority, but whether or not Dallas could issue this general obligation bond and service the debt.
- 2) If the City does have that borrowing and debt servicing capacity; you mentioned very briefly that there were other obligations/priorities for the City of Dallas. What are the top 5 financial needs or wants that the Mayor and City Counsel have conveyed to you to prioritize? Out of the 5, which one or two could potentially be deferred to a later date in case a Pension Obligation Bond was needed sooner?

Thank you again for your time and I very much look forward to your answers,

Rob French

# Potential Impact of a POB for DPFP

(based on 1-1-2018 valuation – assumes all assumptions realized)

- Assumptions:
  - Estimated debt service
    - Based on current rates, City of Dallas AA- S&P bond rating, 30-year term, TIC 4.54%.
    - Debt service increases at 2.75% per year to match projected payroll increases
    - Debt issued in 2020, in one issuance (for modeling purposes to assess the overall potential impact)
- If City contributions are reduced to pay debt service:
  - \$1 billion
    - Debt service is 28%-31% of contributions, \$46 million in 2020
    - Improves the fully funded date from 2063 to 2055: 8-year improvement, 38 years-to-fund
    - Funding level after proceeds are received is 66%, drops to a low of 63% and begins to increase in 2031
  - \$2 billion
    - Debt service is 57%-63% of contributions, \$92 million in 2020
    - Improves the fully funded date from 2063 to 2045: 18-year improvement, 29 years-to-fund
    - Funding level after the proceeds are received is 87%, drops to a low funding level of 85% and begins to increase in 2023



# Potential Impact of a POB for DPFP

(based on 1-1-2018 valuation – assumes all assumptions are realized)

- If City contributions are *not* reduced to pay debt service:
  - \$1 billion
    - Debt service is 28%-31% of contributions, \$46 million in 2020
    - Improves the fully funded date from 2063 to 2039: 25-year improvement, 21 years-to-fund
    - Funding level after proceeds are received is 66% and continues to rise
  - \$2 billion
    - Debt service is 57%-63% of contributions, \$92 million in 2020
    - Improves the fully funded date from 2063 to 2027: 36-year improvement, 10 years-to-fund
    - Funding level after the proceeds are received is 87% and continues to rise



## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #D15

**Topic:** Performance Review of Executive Director

Portions of the discussion under this topic may be closed to the public under the terms of Section 551.074 of the Texas Government Code.

**Discussion:** The Board will meet with the Executive Director to review performance and provide recommendations concerning yearly objectives, goals, and performance.

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## **DISCUSSION SHEET**

### **ITEM #E1**

**Topic:**                      **Public Comment**

**Discussion:**                Comments from the public will be received by the Board.

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## DISCUSSION SHEET

### ITEM #E2

**Topic:**

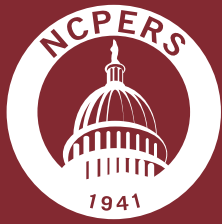
**Executive Director's report**

- a. Associations' newsletters
  - NCPERS PERSist (Fall 2019)
- b. Open Records
- c. Seeking Trustee Input for Executive Performance Reviews

**Discussion:**

The Executive Director will brief the Board regarding the above information.

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## Message from the President



Daniel Fortuna  
NCPERS President

**N**CPERS has concluded another successful Public Safety Conference! This year's conference took place October 27-30 in New Orleans, Louisiana, at the JW Marriott New Orleans. This program, attended by 375 public safety officials, trustees, and administrators, provided participants with relevant information and tools to help them deal with the unique needs and aspects of public safety plans.

William Craig Fugate, the former Administrator of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), opened the conference with a discussion on effective leadership in emergency management and crisis response. Fugate discussed responses to disasters under President Obama's administration, such as Hurricane Sandy and the 2017 tornados in Oklahoma.

The morning continued with discussions around current trends in asset allocation with Mike Welker and Steve Gordon from AndCo Consulting, followed by Julian Regan and Maureen O'Brien from Segal Marco Advisors, discussing capital market developments for public safety plans. NCPERS advisor Jennifer Mink, with Investment Performance Services, LLC, continued the asset allocation theme with strategies for public safety plans.

Brad Kelly, Peter Landers with Global Governance Advisors, joined Peter Marsack of Tegrity for a presentation on pension oversight and

administration in the digital age. You can view the presentation on Facebook Live [here](#). The first day of the conference concluded with presentations from Jeff Sheran of Allianz Global Investors discussing the challenges of active verse passive management, and out of the box solutions for unfunded plans by David Eager from the Kentucky Retirement System.

The agenda for the second day was equally informative for public safety plans. The program began with a presentation around adventures in the uncertainty of public plans by Robert Klausner of Klausner, Kaufman, Jensen & Levinson. You can view Klausner's presentation on Facebook Live [here](#). Anthony Roda from Williams & Jensen discussed federal legislative and regulatory issues, followed by Emily Lawrence from Northern Trust Asset Management, discussing the importance of investment diversity.

The morning continued with discussions of technology oversight considerations with Warren Gordon from Sagitec, and the sustainability of DROP plans with Brad Heinrichs from Foster & Foster Consulting Actuaries, Inc. The conference continued with Ferralyn Sneed and Ann Seals from Los Angeles City Employees' Retirement System discussing what to do with sworn members in your civilian plan. The day concluded with a presentation by Dr. Michael Kahn of NCPERS on his latest research, [Peaceful Coexistence: The Facts About Pensions & Education Funding](#).

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# Four Trends Supporting Allocations to China A-Shares

By Anthony Wong, CFA and Shannon Zheng, CFA

Trade tensions between Washington and Beijing will likely have an uneven impact on China's economy, something that public pension plans should weigh when calibrating equity allocations to the country.

Specifically, we believe that well-managed companies with revenues driven primarily by domestic Chinese consumption—including the consumer, healthcare and industrials sectors—will be best insulated from the negative effects on growth caused by the ongoing trade war.

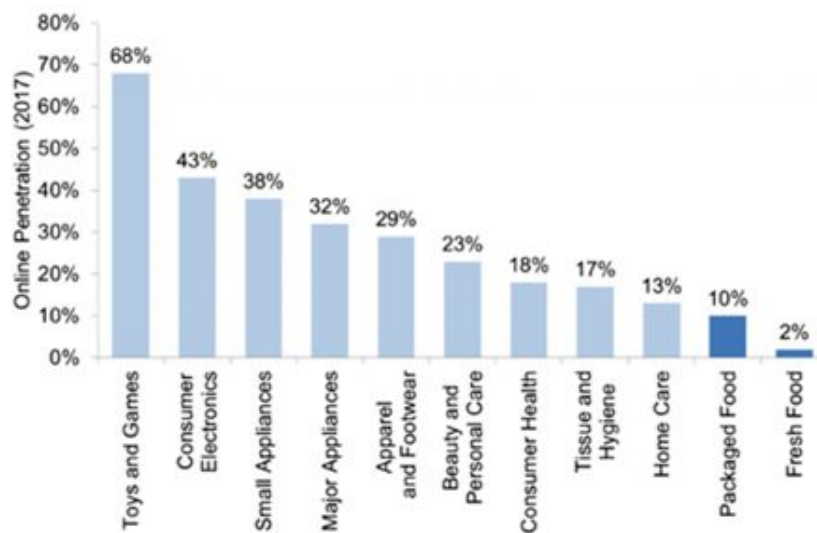
Overall, the majority of these companies are China A-shares, listed in Shanghai and Shenzhen. These firms have strong structural growth drivers which should help them continue to prosper in the coming years: China A shares derive nearly 90 percent of their revenues domestically and have broad exposure to faster-growing areas of the economy, compared



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to Chinese companies listed in Hong Kong which are more concentrated in mature, 'old economy' sectors.

**Exhibit 1: Online shopping penetration is especially low in food and consumer goods**



As of December 2017  
Source: UBS

China A-shares are also attractive because these companies should particularly benefit from four consumer behavior trends being driven by Millennials—spending on leisure, shifts in retailing, evolving attitudes to healthcare and consumers ditching foreign products for domestic ones. As disposable income rises for the growing Chinese middle class, Millennials are spending more on lifestyle, entertainment and travel. For example, in 2017 there were five billion tourist trips within China, triple the number from a decade earlier—a trend that favors the domestic hospitality and travel industries.

Another key trend is how online integration is changing retailing. Brick-and-mortar stores are rapidly adding online capabilities, creating growth opportunities. For example, only 2% of fresh food is bought online, making the sector especially ripe for growth. As Exhibit 1 shows, online shopping penetration is especially low in food and consumer goods.

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## Four Tips to Create a Board of Directors

By Linaeya Horn-Muller

Idea. Check. Funding. Check. Business Plan. Check. Board of Directors? The beginning of any journey, especially in business, starts with an idea. Once that idea has been cultivated and a plan is in place, then comes funding, the board of directors, employees, office space, etc. It's a misconception to leave the creation of the board of directors as one of the last to-do items. Whether you're a big or small organization it helps to be proactive when it comes to forming the group of individuals who help to manage the activities of your business (i.e. your board). This board can be elected or appointed, and they are tasked with maximizing overall organizational value, while simultaneously protecting the interests of any key stakeholders.

When it comes to creating your board, you must keep in mind that not all boards (and their individual board members' roles) are created equal. Such a sentiment is illustrated in the varying roles for the differing types of organizations. For-profit organizations have different goals than nonprofit organizations. For-profit organizations are typically more concerned about preserving the interests of any stakeholder, whereas nonprofits historically focus on raising awareness, while simultaneously raising funds.

Organizations might leave the board creation to the last minute because they believe that they are too small to need a board, or it's not as important as other to-do items. While that might be deemed a pretty logical outlook, it's not necessarily the legal outlook. If you are a corporation, you're required to establish your board of directors right away. That said, your board doesn't need to comprise of 10 to 15 executives or the most qualified leaders in your space, it can be a board of 1 to 3, depending on your state regulations. Being regulated at the state level also means that there is no standard set of rules that must be followed when creating your board of directors.

Even though there is no standard set of rules for creating your board, there are four basic tips that you should follow when architecting your board of directors.

- Documentation
- Bylaw Creation



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- Identify Key Stakeholders (Shareholders) and Schedule Meetings
- Follow Board Meeting Best Practices

### Documentation

Your blueprint for success starts with a solid foundation. For your organization, the foundation is documentation and the filing of any articles of incorporation in your state. In order to become a corporation, you must file these articles and use them as the charter for your organization. This documentation identifies your corporation's name, your incorporators, whether you're for-profit or nonprofit and what your corporation's purpose is. It's important to mention that hiring a lawyer, during this stage, that specializes in setting up boards of directors can only help ensure that your foundation will be successful.

### Bylaw Creation

Every good blueprint needs walls to offer up support through the thick of it. A governing body is no different. For a board, the walls are your bylaws. Each rule, role, and responsibility of the board of directors needs to be agreed upon, formerly written down and upheld. The foundation might be the starting point, but your blueprint for success is nothing if the walls around you crumble.

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## Digitizing Our Very Core

By Roman Regelman

Today's most successful and innovative companies are the most open to new ways of doing business. Closed information technology systems, for instance, guarded by the institutions that built or owned them, have given way to open platforms that reap the benefits from collaborating with third parties.

Many companies are going through business transformation. What's the best way to go about it? Here's our approach that we believe will best serve our clients. Our "Digitizing This Very Bank" strategy challenges all of the bank's stakeholders to think about how we can work outward from our core and transform the enterprise to a nimble, digitally-enabled organization.

I've seen banks that tout what I call the Silicon Valley model. They invest heavily in innovation hubs filled with beanbag chairs and red felt billiard tables. Drones are flying all over the place. These things create a lot of buzz, but as exciting and hip as they might be, they don't fundamentally change the core of the bank.

Then there's the Parallel Bank model. Executives look around and see an institution that must transform itself before it gets disrupted out of existence by digital competitors. They create a brand new and separate digital bank from the ground up. For a while, it runs parallel to the original bank, but usually it fizzles out because, as with the Silicon Valley model, it doesn't fundamentally change the core.

We, however, are choosing to blaze a new trail. We are bringing together people from every corner of BNY Mellon's cross-functional talent pool and challenging them to instill new ways of thinking into everything they do. It means focusing on clients so that their experience is simpler, smarter, and safer. It means collaborating with smart fintechs when we identify a specific reason to do so. It means reimagining everything we do.

Digital Transformations are much less about technology than they are about a company's culture. We're discovering new ways of working and behaving differently, as well as challenging "untouchable" processes, decision-making and corporate governance.

That's not to say our program of digitization isn't technologically radical and innovative, because it is. We're going to see new businesses and capabilities emerge –that we could have never dreamed of even a few years ago. Part of our continuing success is



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that no initiative is set in stone. We are adjusting and correcting our portfolio of initiatives every day. Change is hard. Yet it is imperative

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## Public Pension Plans and the Basis of Employer Participation

By Tyler Crist & Robert Gauss

What exactly is a public pension plan and what is the basis of employer participation? These are fundamental questions that you may not encounter or consider on a routine basis. But the answers, which can vary from state to state, have significant legal consequences. This point was recently emphasized in the Supreme Court of Kentucky's opinion in *Kentucky Employees Retirement System v. Seven Counties Services, Inc.*, 580 S.W.3d 530 (Ky. 2019), which answered a question of Kentucky law certified to it by the United States Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit.<sup>1</sup>

In this instance, it was the chapter 11 bankruptcy of Seven Counties Services, Inc., a Community-Based Mental Health Center in Kentucky, that ultimately brought these questions to the forefront. The consequence of the answer was a legal determination of whether, under the United States Bankruptcy Code, Seven Counties could "reject" its participation in and obligations to the Kentucky Employees Retirement System (KERS), estimated to be \$90 million.<sup>2</sup>

It began in April 2013, when Seven Counties filed its chapter 11 petition for the avowed purpose of ending its participation in KERS, at a time when that was not permitted by the governing statutes. The legal theory upon which the bankruptcy court ultimately allowed Seven Counties to do so required a finding that the nature of Seven Counties' participation in KERS was contractual, rather than statutory. This allowed the bankruptcy court to invoke the federal power to reject contracts, which is found in section 365 of the Bankruptcy Code. On appeal to the Sixth Circuit,<sup>3</sup> KERS asked that this question of Commonwealth law be certified to the Supreme Court of Kentucky. The Sixth Circuit did so, certifying the following question:

Whether Seven Counties Services, Inc.'s participation as a department in and its contributions to the



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Kentucky Employees Retirement System are based on a contractual or a statutory obligation.<sup>4</sup>

After careful consideration, the Supreme Court of Kentucky held that participation in and contributions to KERS are not contractual, but are instead "based on a statutory obligation."<sup>5</sup>

The Supreme Court of Kentucky addressed two fundamental concepts: (1) what exactly is a public retirement system; and (2) what is the basis of employer participation in the plan under a plain reading of the statutes by which the system was established? The Supreme Court of Kentucky held that "public retirement systems are actually trusts created by statute."<sup>6</sup> This is a concept that could have broader application to public pension funds established by statute. Particular to Kentucky and similarly structured retirement plans, however, was the conclusion that a plain language analysis, as well as the unmistakability doctrine, precluded any finding that the basis of participation in KERS was contractual.<sup>7</sup> This is not necessarily true in all states, as the Supreme Court of Kentucky observed. In contrast to KERS, the controlling statutes of California and Pennsylvania expressly authorize contracts with certain employers, particularly municipalities.<sup>8</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> *Kentucky Employees Retirement System v. Seven Counties Services, Inc.*, 746 Fed. Appx. 528, 2018 WL 4078825 (6th Cir. Aug. 24, 2008) (Order of Certification to the Supreme Court of Kentucky).

<sup>2</sup> Title 11 of the United States Code (11 U.S.C. §§ 101 1532).

<sup>3</sup> The initial, intermediary appeal of the bankruptcy court's opinion was to the district court, also in Louisville, Kentucky, to which KERS first requested the question of state law be certified to the Supreme Court of Kentucky.

<sup>4</sup> *Kentucky Employees Retirement System*, 746 Fed. Appx. at 529.

<sup>5</sup> *Kentucky Employees Retirement System*, 580 S.W.3d at 532.

<sup>6</sup> *Id.* at 544 (citing Restatement (Third) of Trusts, §§ 4, Comment(g) and 10 (stating "Public retirement systems or pension funds are invariably created by statute with no other trust instrument delineating the powers and duties of the boards of trustees that administer them....").

<sup>7</sup> *Id.* at 539 544.

<sup>8</sup> *Id.* at 541.

## Best Practices for Data Security

By Peter Chenoweth

For many governmental entities, it's an unfortunate fact that most of the money spent on IT security occurs after a data breach, network hack, or other preventable event. For software with a database that contains your employee or retiree Personally Identifiable Information (PII) data security is paramount. Implementing a comprehensive data security plan can be a significant undertaking, but there are few relatively inexpensive and effective strategies local government offices can take to shore up their first line of defense.

Develop clear staff policies regarding security procedures, both in terms of system access and in behavioral expectations. For system access, follow "least-access" principles; only give users rights to the data they need. For behavioral expectations, make sure your users understand the role they play in your organization's security. Several high-profile cases involving "cryptolocker" or "ransomware" attacks have recently been in the news. These attacks involve malicious programs which encrypt documents and data within your network rendering the items unreadable. The most common way these malicious programs are introduced into an organization is via email, where an unsuspecting user clicks a link that appeared to be from a legitimate colleague. A common exercise to help identify this risk involves your IT staff sending "test" emails to everyone within the agency to find out if any users will click an unknown link. If a person does open a link, notifications are logged to the IT team who can then follow up and offer corrective guidance.

Always ensure your hardware and software is updated regularly. Whether your data is hosted in the cloud or on premises, make sure there are processes in place for maintaining and applying updates on a regular basis. Do not use deprecated commodity operating or database systems. For example, SQL Server 2008R2 has recently become deprecated. Is your organization still using it? If so, strongly consider upgrading! Unpatched or unsupported systems combined with unencrypted communications are at high risk for data breaches, especially when exposed to the internet. Ensure that any vendor you work with is taking advantage of industry-standard security features such as TLS for encryption of network traffic or TDE for database encryption.

Once you have established security procedures for your organization, it is often beneficial to have a third party review these procedures. As a software vendor, we hire a different firm every 1-2 years to conduct extensive testing on our software and database. While that offers a level of security and ease of mind for our customers, we



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always encourage them to perform their own testing within their environment. A vendor that objects to having a security audit or intrusion testing performed is an immediate red flag that there may be issues with the software. Unless there is specific contract language on the topic, there is no obligation to contact a vendor about security testing your agency intends to perform.

And finally, great policies and an effective implementation will minimize risk; however, you need to be sure to incorporate security training into your onboarding process. In addition to the onboarding, retraining should occur regularly to ensure your staff's awareness of the security policies are maintained.

Even with all the policies and training, there is always a possibility that some unknown vulnerability will expose your data. Data breaches are unexpected and stressful, so it is important to develop a response plan before such an event occurs. This provides enough time for planning and coordination among the stakeholders of your organization who would play a role in such an event: management, IT, public relations, legal, and so forth. ♦

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## Prospering Late Cycle While Preparing for Longer Term Success

By Chris Macke

Record equity market valuations followed by bouts of volatility, plummeting fixed income yields, slowing growth, and uncertain trade policies. Welcome to investing in 2019!

Growth in GDP slowed dramatically in 2Q 19 to 2%, and with business investment and employment growth slowing, business sentiment on edge due to trade policies, and shaky consumer confidence, one might be tempted to put money under the mattress.

Commercial real estate, however, can provide attractive opportunities in the late cycle with greater income than seen in fixed income investments, combined with market appreciation potential. With the economy slowing and more limited upside appreciation across most asset classes, real estate can provide a unique and valuable combination of higher income levels and appreciation potential.

### What sectors/market are best positioned to perform?

- Industrial continues to be the performance winner with the most favorable fundamentals due to low costs of replacing tenants should the need arise.
- Multi-family is strengthening as low housing affordability and plateauing supply drive demand. While rents may fluctuate, occupancy is relatively stable.
- Office fundamentals are stable today but vulnerable to slowdowns in employment growth. With higher tenant improvement costs, office should be underweighted with focus on newer assets having strong credit tenants with longer-term leases.
- Retail shows substantial variation in performance across assets: well-placed necessity-based retailers keyed to their trade area demographic should outperform regional malls. Although repricing of retail assets may create select contrarian opportunities, the impact of ecommerce places retail squarely in the underweight category.

In markets, technology continues to disrupt industries, and this creates economic winners and losers. Invest where technology is



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creating not constraining jobs, as markets expected to thrive over the long-term from disrupting technologies should outperform markets anchored in jobs most exposed to disruption. Tech markets may be more volatile near-term requiring heightened discipline, so targeting

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The final day of the conference began with a panel on forced arbitration clauses and their harmful repercussions with Jeremy Lieberman from Pomerantz and Tony Gelderman from Bernstein Litowitz Berger & Grossmann LLP. David Kausch from Gabriel, Roeder, Smith & Co. discussed how measuring pension risk is not just for the actuaries, and Joe Ramos from Lazard Asset Management discussed negative rates. The morning continued with a discussion on the impact of the economy and technology on real estate investing with Todd Fowler from American Realty Advisors and risk factors in manager selection with Erin Doyle Orekhov from Voya Investment Management.

The last afternoon of the conference concluded with a robust agenda. Dara Friedman, with BentallGreenOak explained what core plus real estate, and Ian Edelist from Club Vita discussed what drives differences in life expectancy. The conference concluded with a presentation by Tyler Bond from the National Institute on Retirement Security (NIRA) on their research on public safety workers' views on retirement.

The full presentations from the conference can be viewed at [www.NCPERS.org/psc](http://www.NCPERS.org/psc). The 2020 Public Safety Conference will be held at a to be determined location on October 25 -28, 2020. ♦

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Some examples of bylaws are:

- Frequency of meetings
- How to elect and replace board-chair
- How to elect and replace board members
- How to determine director compensation (if you choose to pay your directors)

**Identify Key Stakeholders (Shareholders) and Schedule Meetings**

Once the foundation is set and the walls are built it is time to lay the roof shingles. For an organization, the roof shingles are all key stakeholders (and the board they create) who hold interests and/or assets in your organization. Once identified, these stakeholders should meet and it's common that the first meeting topic is around your board, specifically the time and place where your board of directors are elected. When properly placed, the shingles create the roof that is tasked with keeping the rain and anything else that is unwelcome out, like the stakeholders who elect the board of directors who protect the company and those invested in it.

**Follow Board Meeting Best Practices**

After your board is established, the foundation is solidified, the walls and the roof are in place - the real work begins. Maintaining the board is just as difficult as maintaining your home. There needs to be set procedures in place in order to succeed at maintaining your board. Best practices include establishing a schedule for your board meetings and then implementing the best techniques in order to prepare for and facilitate the meetings is one example of following board meeting best practices in order to guarantee your success.

As aforementioned, board roles differ and so do boards of directors. It's extremely important to implement a blueprint for success that aligns directly with your organization's purpose and goals.

**Closing Thoughts**

So, there you have it folks. Your four keys tips on how to create a board of directors. Feel free to browse through the rest of our blog (how about checking out [How to Chair a Board Meeting](#)) for more. ♦

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Another trend favoring local Chinese firms is changing healthcare attitudes. The average Chinese person only spends \$426 annually on healthcare, compared to \$9,536 for the average US person, according to World Bank data. Demographic and cultural changes should narrow that gap. By 2050, 35% of China’s population will be seniors, increasing healthcare demand. Also, Millennials are more comfortable with modern medicine, eschewing traditional herbs and generic pharmaceuticals. These circumstances favor domestic firms, ranging from drug developers and manufacturers to hospitals and clinics.

Finally, domestic manufacturers are taking market share from foreign firms because they are increasingly matching, or even beating, foreign brands on both quality and price. For example, in 2008, three foreign brands accounted for 90% of smartphone sales in China. Now, eight out of the top 10 brands are Chinese (see **Exhibit 2**). This trend is playing out in industries as varied as heavy machinery to laser equipment. For example, Chinese brands had 42% of passenger car sales in 2017, up 50% over the past dozen years.

Further underpinning the outlook are economic policies, such as “Made in China 2025”, which promotes domestic, high-tech manufacturing capabilities. Beijing’s heavy investment in innovation is helping, too: China invested \$279 billion in 2017 on research and development, an amount second only to the US.

While China’s pace of economic growth is slowing, we believe institutional investors should diversify their holdings and harness the nation’s domestic consumer-driven growth by allocating to China A-shares. ♦

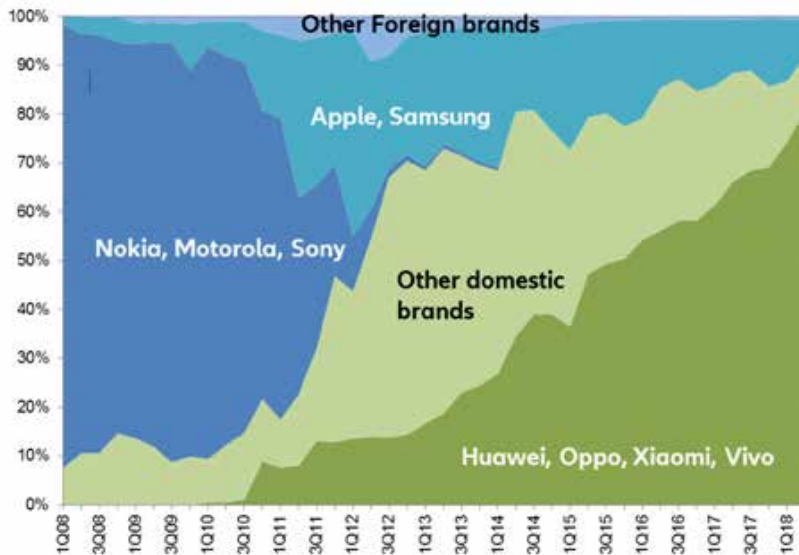
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**Exhibit 2: Smartphones made by Chinese makers are squeezing out foreign brand names**



As of June 30, 2018

Source: Allianz Global Investors, Morgan Stanley, IDC

Securities named in Exhibit 2 were listed since they were the top sellers of smartphones in China. Some or all the securities identified and described may represent securities purchased in client accounts. The reader should not assume that an investment in the securities identified was or will be profitable. Securities or companies identified do not represent all of the securities purchased, sold, or recommended for advisory clients. Actual holdings will vary for each client.

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that we make the most of the changing global markets. Last year marked a key milestone in history in that over half the population of this planet, some 3.8 billion people, were now using the Internet. The digital age is here.

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The fundamental nature and structure of a public pension plan, along with the language of the governing statutes, can have far-reaching consequences. ♦

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assets with longer-term leases to stronger tenants can moderate the impact of that volatility.

Population growth is shifting from the Northeast/Midwest to the Southwest/Southeast, which will be the longer-term population winners. However, the latter may have looser regulations and more land availability creating supply pressures over the long-term that can lead to lower rent growth.

At this point in the cycle, longer-term leases, especially those with contractual increases, can yield better income predictability. However, leases only have value if the tenants can fulfill their obligations.

Tenant credit is critical -- start-ups, newer companies in expansion mode, private equity owned companies with significant debt, smaller companies with more limited access to financing, and tenants in industries facing growth and margin headwinds may face challenges.

In the battle for tenants, higher quality buildings can "buy" occupancy and attract tenants from competing buildings through rent concessions. In addition, the pricing spread between higher and lower quality assets is currently compressed.

In sum, real estate today can deliver yield advantages as well as stable growing income streams and market appreciation potential, by focusing on high quality well-leased assets with the possibility of increasing cash flows. ♦



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